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## Knesset members attack Begin over settlements

TEL AVIV, Sept. 27 (Agencies) — Israel's parliament (Knesset) staged a heated debate on the Camp David peace accords Wednesday with Prime Minister Menachem Begin under furious attack from his old supporters.

Jewish extremists in Begin's Likud coalition accused the prime minister of "betraying the nation" by agreeing to pull Israeli settlers out of Sinai as the price of peace with Egypt. Begin shifted uncomfortably as Likud rightwinger Moshe Shamir shouted at him: "I do not trust you. I was deceived. The nation was deceived. I was told under oath that the Sinai settlements would not be dismantled."

The fate of the Sinai settlements dominated the debate, al-

though the motion before the Knesset asked it for general approval of the two peace agreements signed at Camp David on Sept. 17 between the leaders of Israel, Egypt and the United States.

Begin, who earlier this week warned he would resign if the Knesset threw out the accords, went further Wednesday and made known he would quit if he failed to get majority support in his government's coalition.

There seemed little chance of Begin having to make good his threat on either count.

With the opposition Labor alignment mostly in favor of the accords, a comfortable majority in the Knesset seemed assured. And even though most of the anti-Camp David feeling

came from inside Likud it seemed likely that well over half the coalition's 69 Knesset members would line up behind Begin.

Approval of the Sinai withdrawal was tacked on, in the government motion, behind the passage signifying acceptance of the two Camp David agreements.

Begin had at first wanted the two matters discussed separately but was over-ruled by Knesset opinion.

Speakers gave comparative little attention to the Camp David accord on a framework for establishing peace in the Jordan West Bank and in Gaza.

It was the agreement for a peace treaty with Egypt, and its precondition that Jewish settlers must quit Sinai, that drew the bulk of the oratory.

Speaker after speaker, including Labor members who approved the accords in general, stressed the sacrifices which they considered Israel was being asked to make for peace.

During the Knesset session, Begin left the hall for an hour's meeting with United States Ambassador Samuel Lewis. Defense Minister Ezer Weizman was also present, cabinet sources said.

There was no immediate indication of what was discussed during the meeting.

No great material importance was attached to the 11 Jewish settlements in north Sinai, mostly devoted to raising tomatoes, or to the three south Sinai establishments best known for aquaculture diving and nude bathing.

The most common complaint was that yielding up the northern settlements, in their strategic location near Israel's border.

This was an argument frequently employed by Begin himself until, following Camp David, he announced that Israel security experts now considered abandoning the settlements entailed little risk.

Another strong theme in the debate was that giving up settlements in Sinai could establish a precedent for future withdrawals from Jewish outposts on the West Bank and in Gaza.

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## Kuwaiti minister says higher oil prices necessary

OSLO, Sept. 27 (Agencies) — Kuwait's Oil Minister warned Wednesday that Arab oil-producing countries could not continue tolerating the increasing erosion of their oil revenue.

Sheikh Ali Khalifa al-Sabah, chairman of the council of ministers of the Organization of Arab Petroleum Exporting Countries (OAPEC) said better prices were necessary to secure the continuous flow of world oil.

He was speaking at the opening of a three-day seminar in Oslo on cooperation between Scandinavia and Arab countries.

Sheikh Ali said: "It is obvious that with the rising cost of development and technology, we, the Arab oil producing countries, cannot continue to tolerate the increasingly adverse effects of the erosion of our oil revenue."

The Kuwait minister is also president of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC).

Sheikh Ali said the security of oil supplies was crucial to developed countries but the growth of OPEC countries' economies and oil sectors must be equally secure.

To achieve these aims and correct imbalances in trade, prices would have to be raised to levels that would compensate for the depletion of resources and generate enough income for the growing cost of prolonging the life span of oil resources, he said.

In another keynote speech, Norway's Petroleum and Energy Minister Bjartmar Gjerde, said Norway would also benefit from higher oil prices in form of increased revenue from its North Sea oil.

But Gjerde also warned his Arab guests against too rapid price hikes. He said "rapidly increasing oil prices might also destroy the stability and severely curtail the growth in the industrialized countries."

Both Gjerde and Sheikh Ali stressed they consider it a legitimate national concern to secure a reasonable return on their petroleum reserves.

"Both from a national and international point of view, I feel that the pricing of petroleum is going to be a key question. I therefore repeat my appeal for moderation and co-operation so that the world economy will be able to bear the price increases that seem both necessary and inevitable in the 1980's," Gjerde said. He added:

"I think it is fair to add, however, that the development of oil prices in the last couple of years—actually falling prices in real terms—although contributing to a recovery in the world economy, have been a burden to the oil producing countries you represent."

Emphasizing that the world gradually has to convert to other forms of energy, Gjerde said:

It should also be in the interest of the world community at large that the price of energy is increasing to allow a timely development of alternative sources of energy that must replace petroleum.

Oil ministers and high government officials of the OAPEC countries and Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Finland are participating in the seminar at a tightly police-guarded downtown Oslo hotel.

Participating are also some 350 industrialists, economists and bankers from the four Scandinavian countries.

There are four main themes which will be discussed among

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## Fahd, Assad review situation in Mideast



SAUDI-SYRIAN TALKS: Crown Prince Fahd escorts Syrian President Hafez Assad on arrival in Taif Tuesday for talks on the current Middle East situation.

KUWAIT, Sept. 27 (Agencies) — Syrian President Hafez Assad arrived in Kuwait Wednesday night from Taif on the third leg of his Middle East tour to explain Arab opposition to the Camp David peace accords.

Assad Wednesday conferred for three hours with Crown Prince Fahd, deputizing for King Khalid who has gone abroad for medical tests.

Earlier Tuesday, Assad held similar talks in Amman with King Hussein.

Details of the Taif talks were not disclosed. Syrian Foreign Minister Abdul Halim Khaddam said merely that they had covered the present situation.

The official Saudi Press Agency said the talks ranged over international affairs and issues affecting the Arab world, adding that they were of major importance.

It said the talks were conducted "within the framework of the wise Saudi policy which always seeks to unify Arab ranks."

Saudi Arabia has expressed reservations about the accords, signed between Egyptian President Anwar Sadat and Israeli Premier Menachem Begin at Camp David earlier this month.

King Khalid was reported to have conferred in Switzerland Tuesday with an envoy sent by President Sadat to brief the Saudi monarch on the summit.

**Atherton confers with Hussein**

AMMAN, Sept. 27 (AP) — U.S. President Jimmy Carter's special envoy Alfred Atherton met with King Hussein Wednesday to brief him on his discussions with officials in Kuwait and Iran.

Official sources said the king explained to Atherton his stand on the Middle East peace efforts and "Jordan's unchanged policy on a peaceful settlement."

Atherton arrived here Tuesday night from Turkey on the fourth leg of his Middle East and African tour to explain the Camp David accords and seek support for them.

He has already visited Saudi Arabia, Kuwait and Iran. He is expected to leave here for Jerusalem Thursday and then go to Cairo.

Atherton regards his talks with King Hussein of special importance "in view of the principal role Jordan plays in peace efforts in the area."

Syria and other radical Arabs comprising the anti-Sadat "Steadfastness Front" have vowed to wreck the Camp David accords, which they rejected as a basis for establishing a just Middle East peace.

Meanwhile in Kuwait diplomatic sources said although Kuwait had been strongly critical of the accords, it was not expected to endorse the policies of Camp David's radical opponents.

President Assad last week hosted a summit of the "Steadfastness Front"—comprising Algeria, South Yemen, Syria, Libya and the Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO)—which condemned the accords and called on Arab states to ostracize Egypt for going against Arab unanimity.

On Tuesday, King Hussein said that he and President As-

sad shared the same desire for a just and durable peace.

The king was speaking to reporters at Amman airport after seeing off President Assad. "We see eye to eye on most things if not all things. We share the same desire for a just and durable peace, but not on the basis of what we have been offered in the recent past," the king said.

He said he was sending questions to "friends in the United States" asking for "concrete answers."

"It requires a total re-examination of the entire position—Jerusalem, the settlements and what comes after the five year transition period..."

"What we have heard so far has not come near to that," he added.

King Hussein said that Israeli

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## Numeiri counsels restraint over Camp David agreements

UNITED NATIONS, Sept. 27 (Agencies) — President Jaafar Numeiri of Sudan urged all U.N. members Wednesday not to rush to judgment on the Camp David accords toward Middle East peace.

Numeiri told the 150-nation U.N. General Assembly, "We should shed light on the positive elements of this initiative."

Several of Sudan's fellow members of the Arab League have stressed what they consider negative elements of the Egyptian-Israeli agreements.

"It is a historic attempt to make peace in the region," Numeiri said of the conference that President Carter arranged with Egyptian President Anwar Sadat and Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin.

"We have to undertake a deep study and deep analysis (of the results) in the light of the resolutions," he said, citing U.N. Security Council resolutions of 1967 and 1973 as the proper basis for an overall Arab-Israeli settlement.

At the same time, he called for support of the Palestine Liberation Organization waging the Palestinians' "just struggle to recover their homeland" and warned against "all sorts of international pressure" against it.

He said Israel's persistent occupation of Arab territories created a situation "which could lead to an armed conflict in the area which could develop into a global conflict."

He also said Zionism was a form of racism, accused Israel of collaborating with "racist"

South Africa and quoted Rhodesian guerrilla leader Robert Mugabe as saying Israeli machinists had "found their way into the hands of racist repressors."

Numeiri expressed "concern and dismay" at the situation resulting from foreign intervention in African affairs.

He said the OAU summit conference that he presided over in Khartoum last July 18-22 condemned all forms of intervention regardless of source.

In another address Wednesday, French Foreign Minister Louis de Guiringaud praised President Carter's courage and tenacity in the Camp David summit and expressed the hope that the accords would further progress towards a "settlement."

He told the General Assembly this settlement must be based on withdrawal from the territories occupied in 1967, recognition of the Palestinians' right to a homeland, on the legitimate security concerns of all states in the region and the mutual recognition of boundaries.

On the situation in Southern Lebanon, where France has the largest national contingent on duty with the U.N. force, De Guiringaud said the U.N. troops had not the mission nor the means to restore the central government's authority.

"The force cannot take the place of the government in the exercise of its sovereignty," he said.

Meanwhile Britain offered to put ground troops on call

for U.N. peacekeeping duty at seven days' notice and to air-lift the force and its equipment to the operational area.

Foreign Secretary David Owen said an infantry battalion group or Royal Marine Commando group would be available for up to six months on this basis.

"We shall also be willing to provide a small number of military personnel for duty as observers and we shall consider as sympathetically as possible requests for other types of forces or forms of military assistance," Dr. Owen told the General Assembly.

Owen said the British government was totally committed to the concept of U.N. peacekeeping, and, with its fellow members of the European Economic Community, would appeal to all U.N. members to reaffirm their support for the world body's measures in this area.

He said the offer he made Wednesday was in addition to the current British contribution to U.N. forces in Cyprus and Lebanon.

In his address, Owen took issue with those who have condemned the recent Camp David accords.

The agreements were a positive step in the direction of a peace settlement and had Britain's full support," he said.

## Syrians clash again with Beirut militias

BEIRUT, Sept. 27 (Agencies) — Syrian troops and right-wing Lebanese militia-men clashed in the shell-scarred southeastern districts of Beirut Wednesday and the Phalangist radio said the Syrians had introduced a new type of rocket in their bombardment.

The right-wing radio said one person was killed and 30 were wounded in fighting Tuesday night and Wednesday.

The mainly Syrian Arab Deterrent Force (ADF) said in a statement on Tuesday night's clashes that it had suffered no casualties.

Residents said the Syrians threw tanks into action early Wednesday, and the Phalangist radio said the ADF shelled the suburb of Hadath with artillery, mortars and a new type of rocket not used so far.

The shelling caused heavy

damage to houses and orchards, the radio added.

The ADF statement said gunmen in the southern suburbs Tuesday night stepped up the fighting gradually for two hours.

During that time, ADF troops held their fire but had to silence the sources of firing when ADF positions were attacked with anti-armor rockets and mortars.

Reliable right-wing sources said that seven Syrian soldiers were killed last Sunday in a clash with rightist fighters which further raised tension.

The mandate of the Arab League force, established in October 1976 to impose a truce in the Lebanese civil war, expires Oct. 26 and right-wing leaders have insisted that it must not be renewed.

Meanwhile Western diplomatic sources said here Wednesday

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## Ten years and Jeddah will be finest Mideast town, mayor predicts



JEDDAH, Sept. 27—In 10 years, Jeddah will be one of the cleanest and most beautiful cities in the Middle East, Mayor Sheikh Muhammad Said Farisi says.

In an interview published in "Okaz" Wednesday, he said if development continued as now he expected to see the "Bride of the Red Sea" one of the cities most beloved by its people.

He recalled Jeddah three decades ago surrounded by walls. The walls were demolished the city expanded rapidly and several areas, like Kandarash, Ruwais and Sabal, degenerated into chaos. Hamra, now the tidiest area, was taken over by the Municipality long before building started and the difference from other parts of the city is clearly marked.

Farisi admitted that sanitation was a major concern. He quoted a remark by Prince Majed, minister of municipal and rural affairs, that if people from Switzerland

can come here, so can Swiss standards.

Farisi endorsed Prince Majed's view that every citizen had a duty to the city's cleanliness. It was not the responsibility of the state alone.

"We are already using plastic bags for garbage but will soon launch another experiment—incinerators for those areas where it is difficult for municipal vehicles to collect garbage. We don't have enough equipment for garbage collection, and Prince Majed himself has taken up the matter.

### Jeddah Towers

Farisi said Jeddah Towers would only go so far toward solving the housing problem, as it could not provide enough flats to cope with demand.

There are 750 new villas on Mecca road, and a Korean firm has been awarded a contract to build 3,000 residential units. Farisi denied there were 500,000 flats vacant in Jeddah, but said that there were at least 60,000 ready for occupation.

Although they were private properties, they could be acquired by the state and allotted to people in low income groups if they were in an area where services were available.

Allocation of flats in Jeddah Towers should be for the needs, as there were many applicants for the small number of flats.

### Parks

Turning to parks, of which there is a shortage, Farisi said that a 20,000-square-meter open space in Sharafia and a rock garden in Baghdadiyah had been added since he took office. The rock garden will be planted with cacti and succulents which will not place a strain on water supplies.

Obhor creek will have its own park in the near future. Because of the salinity of the soil at Obhor and Jeddah, municipal officials are preparing a study with experts from Britain, Guinea and France on salt-loving plants.

### Corniche

The 12-kilometer Corniche project and a six-kilometer recreation area along the coast north of the Saline Water Conversion Corp. headquarters were being followed by Prince Majed personally.

Southern Jeddah will soon have an Olympic swimming pool and a park. Work was also in progress on Jeddah's ring road which was expected to be completed in three years.



Mayor Farisi conducting Mecca Governor Prince Fawaz and Minister of Municipal Affairs Prince Majed around the Municipality headquarters in Jeddah.

### Ethylene approval expected

## SABIC: two years old and cutting teeth

JEDDAH, Sept. 27 — The Saudi Arabian Basic Industries Corporation (SABIC) is two years old this month, but the icing on the birthday cake must wait for four or five months.

It is then, according to an interview with SABIC's chief executive officer, Abdul Aziz Al-Zamil, published Thursday in "Saudi Business", that there will be final agreement on the Kingdom's first petrochemical plant.

The plant, a 656,000-ton-a-year ethylene based joint venture between SABIC and Shell, is awaiting the decision by the Supreme Petroleum Council on Shell's oil entitlements, or guaranteed supplies.

Zamil expects work on the facility to start, assuming the approval from the supreme council, in ten months.

The thrust of Zamil's thinking is toward the mutual dependence of the Aramco gas-gathering program and SABIC's infrastructure projects. SABIC's eight major projects depend on the feedstock that

the system will be providing by 1981.

Those schemes seem to Zamil to be going well. All that is, except for the aluminium plant: world market prices and other smelters in the region

### Jeddah's new hospital in operation next year

JEDDAH, Sept. 27 — A new central hospital will be commissioned by the Ministry of Health next year to replace the present central hospital at Bab Sharif, according to the Deputy Minister Dr. Ahmad Suqair.

Speaking to "Al-Bilad" newspaper Dr. Suqair said that the present hospital is inadequate in location and service.

The new hospital will solve problems facing patients because of the poor services of the present central hospital, he added.

Dr. Suqair said that a number of clinics will be built in various parts in the country with each clinic serving between 40,000 to 80,000 patients. Cases which cannot be handled by the clinics will be referred to the larger hospitals in town.

are causing some uncertainty.

To prevent duplication and to obliterate waste in development projects, seven Arab Gulf countries decided about two and-a-half years ago to set up the Gulf Organization for Industrial Consulting. "Saudi Business" also interviewed Dr. Ali Khalaf.

He spoke of the aims of his organization in the coordination of plans, the harnessing of resources and the spreading of information. No less important, Khalaf says, is the marketing of products.

On petrochemicals, he suggests restructuring global capacity, and stresses the logic of creating the basic industries at the sources of energy and establishing downstream manufacture elsewhere in the world.

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## U.S. awaits Israeli response to decide on Negev air bases

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (AP) — The Carter administration is withholding the transmission of a letter that promises American aid to build two new Israeli airbases until the issue of Israel's commitment to halt settlements on the West Bank is decided, officials said Tuesday.

But the officials, who declined to be identified, said the delay in releasing the airbase aid agreement is not an effort to pressure Israel into accepting the U.S. view of agreements reached during the Camp David summit meeting.

The U.S. position is that Israel agreed that new settlements on the West Bank of the Jordan River are prohibited for five years. Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin

says "his recollection" is that the settlement freeze was to last only three months.

The settlement issue was one of several at Camp David that were handled separately from the published framework for peace signed by Carter, Begin and Egyptian President Anwar Sadat. Those issues were to be handled in later exchanges of letters.

Last week, most of those supplementary letters were released. Those that were not released were the letters dealing with the West Bank settlements and the one detailing the American pledge to pay for two new airbases for Israel.

The airbases are to be constructed in the Negev region to replace bases being

returned to Egypt in the near-by Sinai region as part of the Camp David accord. The bases being returned to Egypt were lost to the Israelis during the 1967 war.

The West Bank settlements issue has not been decided because of the open dispute between Begin and Carter over exactly what Israel had agreed to at Camp David.

U.S. officials said earlier that the airbase aid agreement was not published because it was not ready. The White House wanted the letter written carefully so that it was clear that Congress would have to approve any financial aid and that Israel and the United States would have to negotiate the type of bases to be built and their cost.

## U.S. welcomes Soviet help toward Middle East peace

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (AP) — The United States has not given up reconvening the Geneva conference on the Middle East and "would welcome" a Soviet contribution to peace in the region, a high State Department official said Tuesday.

Marshall Shulman, in testimony before a House of Representatives international relations subcommittee, said that if the peace process begun at Camp David works out, the Geneva conference might be convened to bring about a comprehensive peace settlement.

Other officials, speaking privately, cautioned that the reconvening of Geneva was a not issue unless more progress is made under the Camp David framework.

The statement by Shulman was not likely to be taken lightly by supporters of Israel. They were upset last year when the administration issued a joint statement, along with the Soviets, on principles for peace in the Middle East. Is-

raeli supporters feel that Soviet participation in the area can only damage Israeli interests.

The U.S.-Soviet cooperation was quickly superceded by Egyptian President Anwar Sadat's visit to Jerusalem and the possibility it opened for a peace settlement that need not involve the Soviets. But the idea of a Geneva conference, which would be jointly chaired by the Americans and Soviets, was not formally discarded.

Shulman, who is special adviser on Soviet affairs to Secretary of State Cyrus Vance, was delivering an overview of relations between the superpowers.

He said that one cause of tension in 1978 was Soviet "frustration at the course of events that followed President Sadat's trip to Israel, leading to the Camp David summit."

Shulman added, "we recognize the strong Soviet interest in the Middle East and would welcome any positive contribution the USSR can make to the long-term amelioration of problems in the area."

## Turkey, U.S. in new era after arms vote-Ecevit

ANKARA, Sept. 27 (AP) — Turkish Premier Bulent Ecevit Wednesday expressed hope that "a new and positive era has started in Turkish-American relations" with the formal ending of a three and a half year-old arms embargo on Turkey.

U.S. President Jimmy Carter Tuesday ended the embargo by certifying that Turkey was acting "in good faith to achieve a just and peaceful settlement of the Cyprus problem."

In a written statement distributed to the press, Ecevit also announced that the two countries would soon take up the issue of the U.S. joint defense installations on Turkish soil, whose activities have been largely stopped since 1975 in retaliation against the embargo.

The premier was apparently

referring to a meeting in New York, of U.S. Secretary of State Cyrus Vance and Turkish Foreign Minister Gunduz Okcun scheduled for next week.

Official sources said Wednesday that technical level talks on a new defense accord have been continuing for some time.

Ecevit explained that Turkey's National Security Council, which comprises military and civilian leaders, would discuss a "provisional status" for the U.S. bases in a meeting early next week to guide their utilization pending the finalization of negotiations.

These remarks of the premier indicated some support for recent Turkish press reports that at least some of the bases might be reactivated before an overall defense agreement is reached.

## 30,000 Turkish students evicted from dormitories

ISTANBUL, Sept. 27 (AP) — The Turkish government evicted 30,000 university students from state-supported dormitories Tuesday and sent them home in a move aimed at combating widespread terrorism.

The controversial order was aimed at youths allegedly implicated in terrorist acts or political agitation that has claimed about 900 lives since 1974. Most of the victims have been university students.

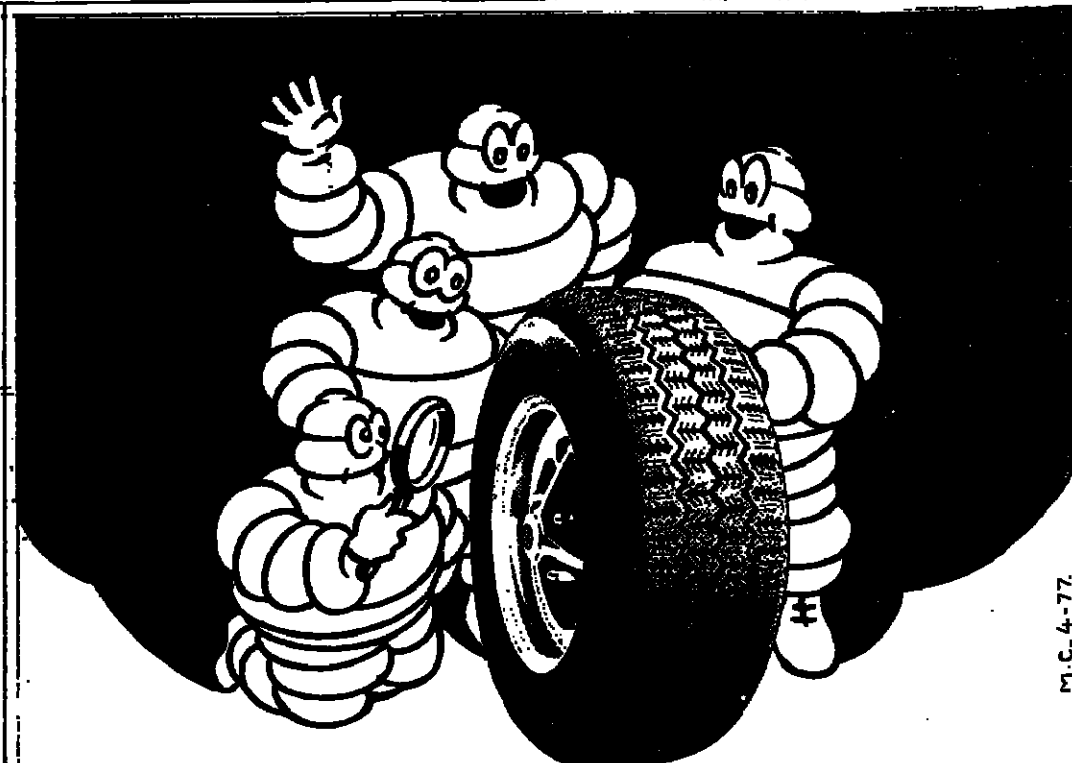
Youth Minister Yuksel Cakmur said the order was part of a plan to introduce stiff disciplinary measures at some 40 government-supported hostels in major cities and towns.

The government announcement met immediate opposition from right-wing political parties and student organiza-

tions who claimed Social Democrat Premier Bulent Ecevit would "install leftist militants" once the dormitories are vacated.

Ecevit's nine-month-old government has been unable to control political terrorism, which is taking about two lives a day.

In Istanbul, where most of the dormitories are located, women students marched in protest but dispersed without incident.

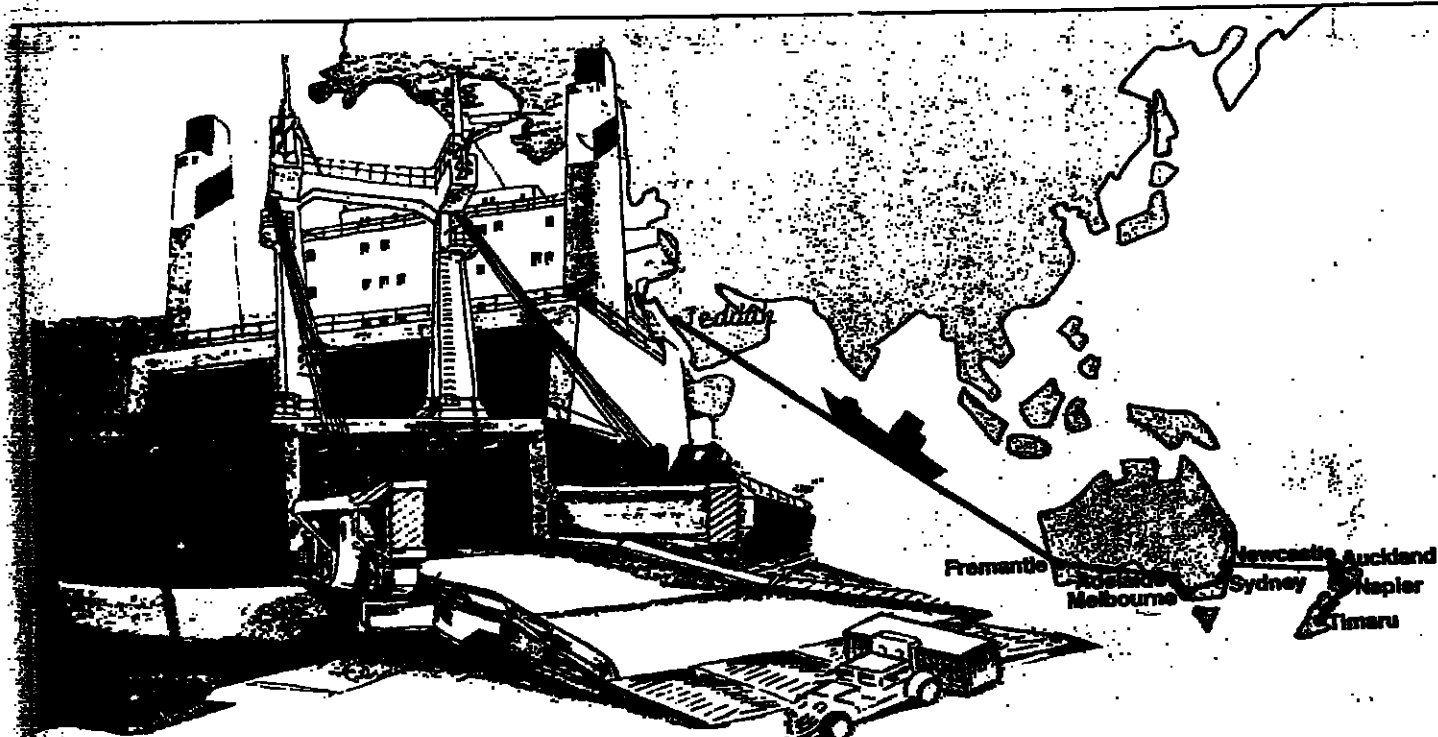


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## Arrested on trip from Britain

## Soviet emigre freed after 10 years

MOSCOW, Sept. 27 (R) — A Soviet-born businessman from Britain arrested while visiting Moscow in 1968 has been freed after serving a 10-year labor camp sentence, dissident sources have said.

Th sources said Tuesday the businessman, Nikolai Sharygin, was released on Sept. 20 but refused to accept a Soviet pas-

port and declared he wanted to return to Britain, where he had lived for 22 years before his arrest.

The British Embassy in Moscow said Sharygin, 57, had not yet made any contact.

little they could do because he had never taken British citizenship and was regarded by the Russians as a Soviet citizen.

At his trial, from which British diplomats and correspondents were barred, he was accused of fleeing the Soviet Union and of anti-Soviet activity while in Britain.

During his 10 years in labor

camp, Sharygin was reported by Moscow dissidents to have taken part in several hunger strikes in support of better conditions for prisoners.

According to a statement issued Tuesday by Mrs. Malva Landa, closely associated with the Moscow Helsinki Group on human rights, he was seized in 1968 after refusing to agree to act as a Soviet agent.

Mrs. Landa's statement said he had been taken to Germany as a 13-year-old boy when Nazi troops occupied his native Ukraine in 1941 and had gone to Britain after the war where he won a technical degree and married.

According to the dissident report, Sharygin told Russian police who sought to persuade him to accept a Soviet passport on his release that he would rather return to prison. "He insists on his right to return to England," Mrs. Landa added.

## Ruby killed Oswald on impulse, brother tells House committee

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (AP) — Earl Ruby testified Tuesday that his brother Jack insisted to his death that he acted on an impulse and without help when he barged through Dallas police lines and murdered Lee Harvey Oswald.

Ruby told the House of Representatives Assassinations Committee that he asked his brother why he shot Oswald, the accused assassin of President John Kennedy, and that Jack Ruby told him:

"When I saw him come through there with that smirk on his face as though he were happy he killed the president, I just lost control of myself."

Ruby also testified that his brother maintained he had never known Oswald before he shot him.

Jack Ruby was convicted by a Texas state court of murdering Oswald. He was sentenced to death, but the conviction was overturned by the Texas Supreme Court and Ruby was awaiting a new trial when he died of cancer on Jan. 3, 1967.

Ruby said his brother insisted to his death that he alone was responsible for Oswald's murder—an event witnessed on television by millions of Americans two days after Kennedy's assassination.

The testimony came as the committee considered various theories that critics of the Warren Commission have espoused in efforts to discredit the commission's conclusions that Oswald and Ruby acted alone.

One conspiracy theorist has contended that the Warren Commission ignored evidence that Ruby agreed in 1959 to be an informant for the FBI.

Author Mark Lane, an attorney who presently represents

New Yorkers may wait even longer for daily papers

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (R) — Two days of talks aimed at removing the impasse that has deprived New York of its three major newspapers for the last 49 days have ended here with no indication of progress.

The Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service, which had invited representatives of the Publishers' Association of New York and the striking print workers to Washington, said Tuesday the talks would resume in New York.

About 10,000 workers in New York City's newspaper industry have been made idle by the strike, which started when the publishers demanded changes in press room working procedures and the printers responded by walking off their jobs.

## TV biography bemuses oldest living American

BARFLO, Florida, Sept. 27 (AP) — The life of 136-year-old Charlie Smith has become a legend, and Smith — the oldest person in the United States — was around to see it depicted on film, even if he did sleep through parts of it.

From his nursing home wheelchair Tuesday he watched a private showing of a dramatization of his long and colorful years.

The 90-minute movie made for television traces Smith's life, which saw him taken from Africa aboard a slave ship when he was 12 into bondage in Texas. After freedom in 1863 by decree of President Abraham Lincoln, he became a cowhand, an outlaw, a fruit picker and finally a raconteur.

Wearing a cowboy hat, Smith sat in front of the television screen dozing periodically. Sitting next to him was actor Glynn Turman who portrays him as a young man.

The years have faded Smith's eyesight, impaired his hearing

and left him, at times, confused.

"The movie was about you, Charlie," a nursing aide told him. "It was based on your life. Did you understand any of it?"

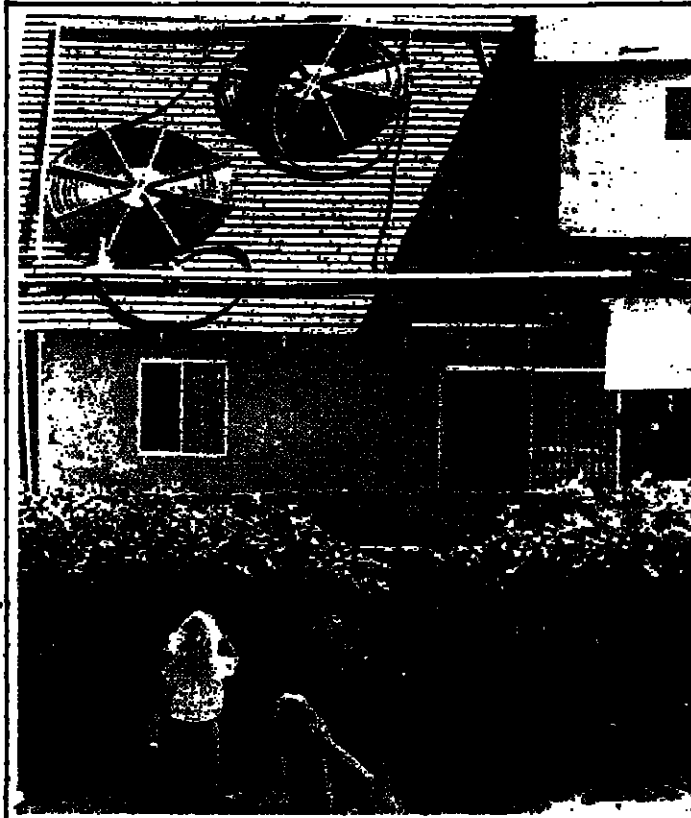
Smith replied: "No, I didn't understand it. Not that I know of anyway."

Chief nurse Marilyn Ness came by occasionally, tapping Smith gently on the shoulder to awaken him. Turman leaned over to talk in whispers. Smith would nod, sometimes saying a few words.

"He's not grasping much of this," Mrs. Ness said. "But he loves the attention, the company. It's like a party."

Smith, who is the oldest living citizen, underwent surgery last year because of poor circulation and had a leg amputated last year.

Through all of it, Smith has never lost his spirit. "He still likes to sit and reminisce," Mrs. Ness said. "But like all of us, he has his good days and his bad."



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## Flash floods maroc 200 villages across northern India state

NEW DELHI, Sept. 27 (R) — A fresh wave of floods inundated large areas in the north Indian states of Bihar and Uttar Pradesh Tuesday, less than 10 days after the most devastating floods in a century.

Nearly 200 villages around the Varanasi, formerly Benares, were submerged by floodwaters and government teams once again resumed rescue and relief operations.

More than 600 people were evacuated from villages Tuesday, the Press Trust of India (PTI) reported.

There seemed no immediate threat to Varanasi itself which was submerged in the first wave of flooding earlier this month.

In Bihar flash floods inundated the Buddhist holy towns of Gaya and Buddh-Gaya.

PTI said the swirling floodwaters from the Falgu were spreading and engulfing more areas. One of the ples in Buddh-Gaya was merged.

The agency said at least houses had been washed away and many bodies were floating in the Falgu River.

At Allahabad in Uttar Pradesh a railway bridge collapsed Monday after a heavy charge of water from a river.

This year's floods have caused damage on an unprecedented scale and affected nearly 40 million people. The floodwaters spread over 6.4 million hectares (25,000 square miles) destroying between two and three million tons of grain.

Unofficial reports say floods killed nearly 2,000 people. The official death toll, 1,222.

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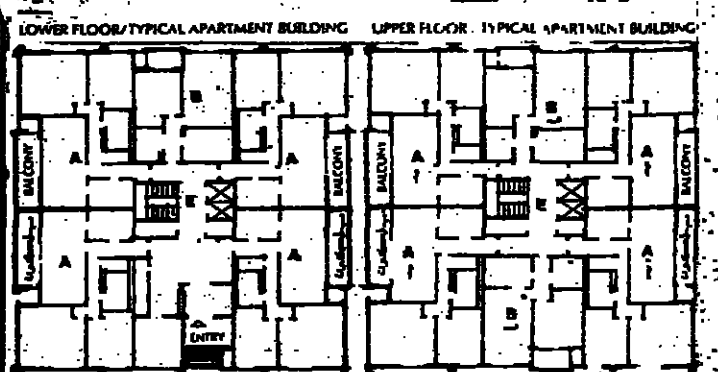


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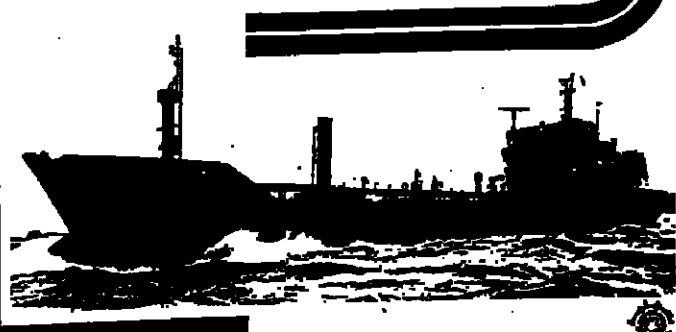
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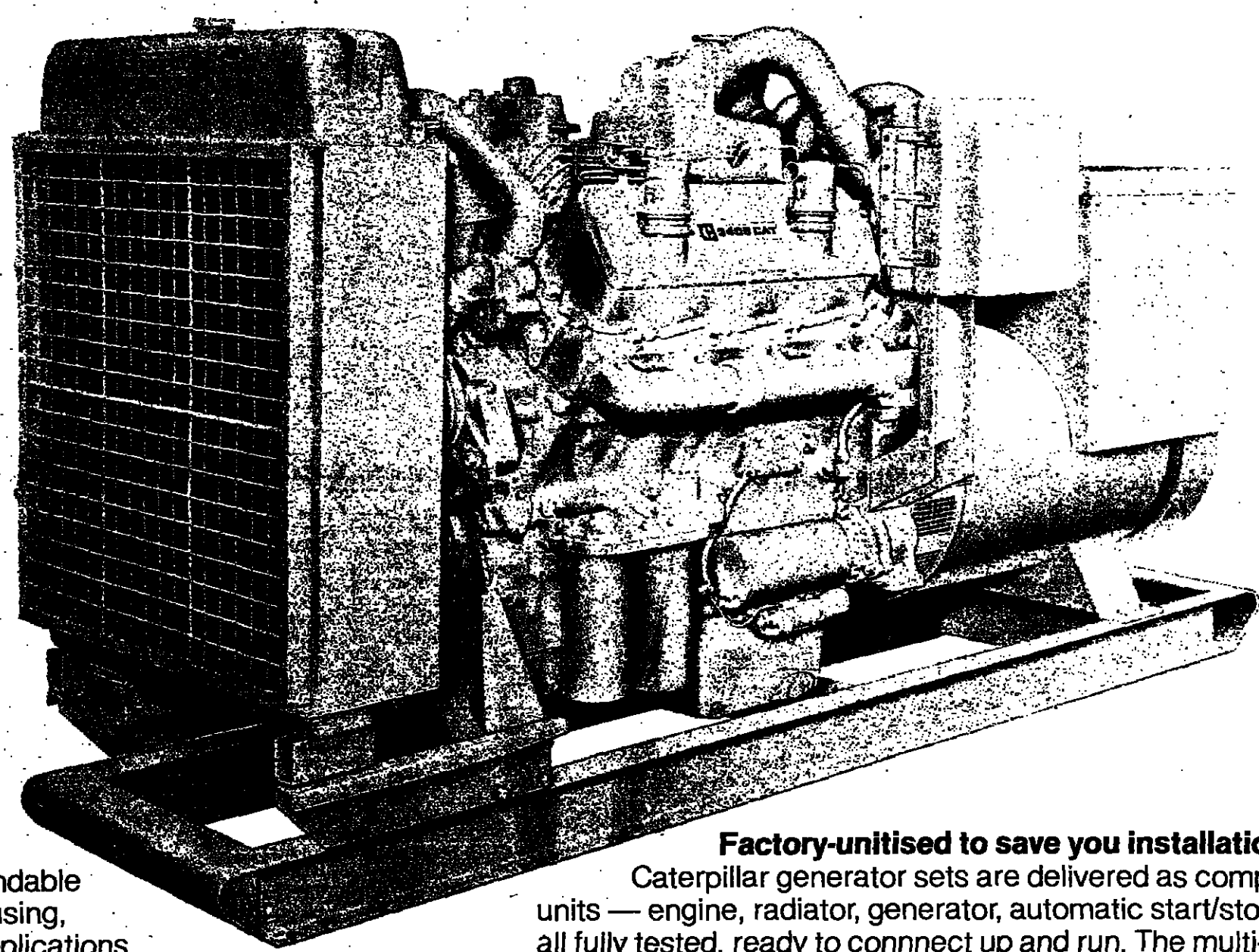
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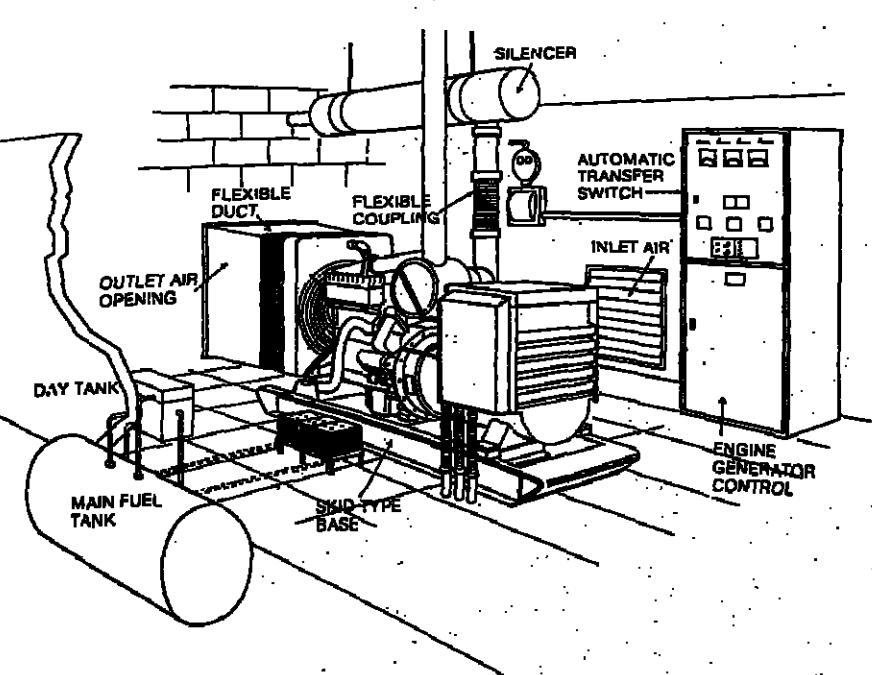
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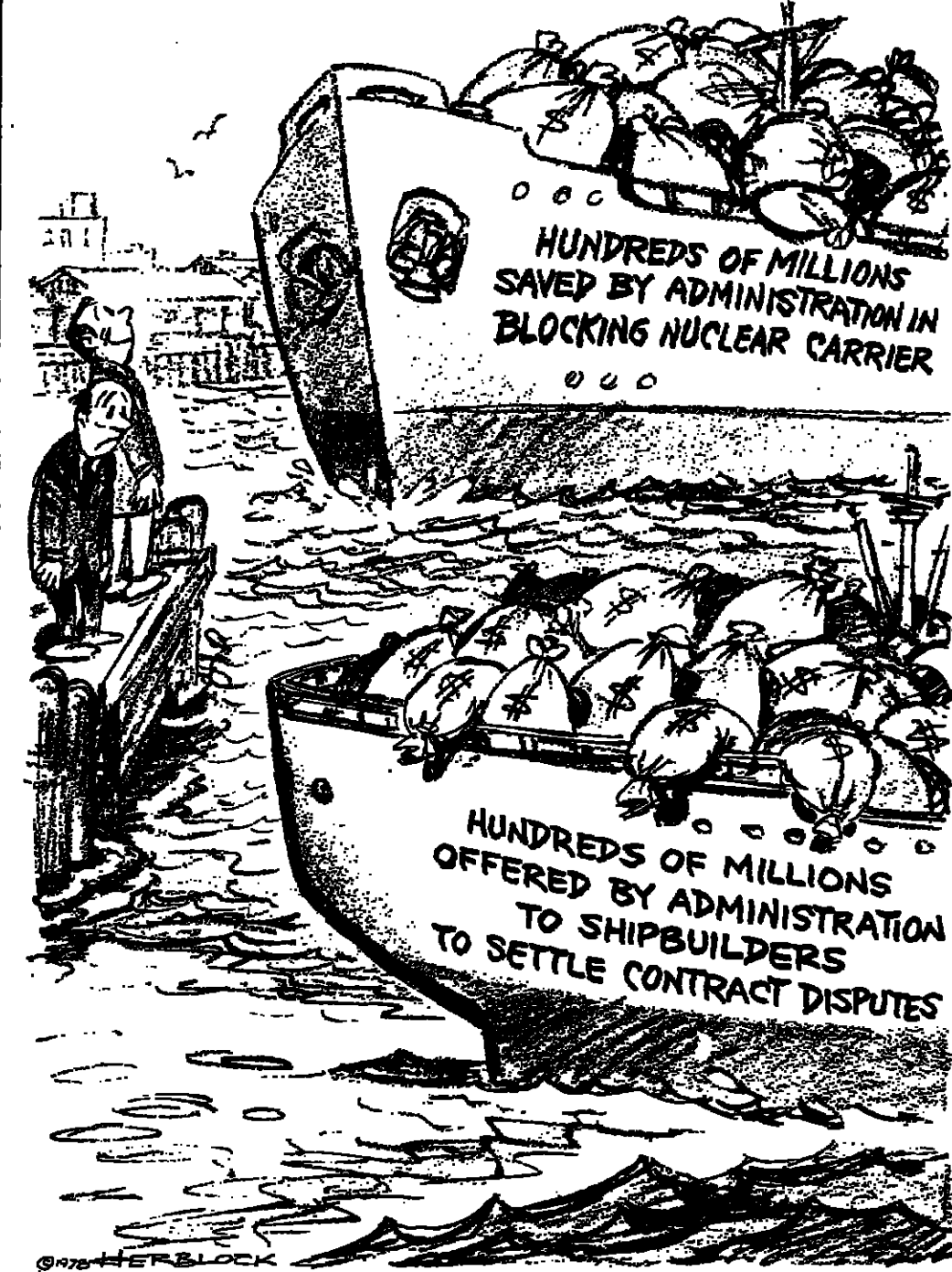
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## ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES



## Saudi Arabia takes its seat

WASHINGTON — Saudi Arabia, one of the biggest contributors to the International Monetary Fund, Wednesday became the 21st member of the Fund's board of directors.

Up to now the only countries to enjoy permanent member status were seven of the world's major industrial states — the U.S., Japan, West Germany, Britain, France, Italy and Canada.

The 128 other member countries of the IMF were represented at board level through various groups. Saudi Arabia's membership

means that for the first time in the IMF's history it has more than 20 directors on the board.

The Saudis claimed a seat of their own because of their record as a major contributor to the Fund. Their position will be reviewed in two years.

Both Canada and Italy have attained board membership by claiming a seat.

In another development Tuesday, a major realignment of the board was made, under which Spain will leave the group led by Italy and join a group which links Central American countries.

It was expected that Greece would join the Italian group, leaving the one headed by Iran, while Turkey would join the Iranian grouping quitting the constituency headed by Belgium.

The realignment followed several months of intense diplomatic discussions between Spain and Venezuela and Mexico — the two major partners in the existing Central American group.

The new Central American group will form the largest voting block in the Fund after the United States, Britain and West Germany. — (R)

## The 'bad guy Begin' show

By Dennis Whelan  
Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON — Like most highly charged international events, Camp David offers insights extending much further than the event itself. Among other things, the summit offers an important view of the differing styles and assumptions of Carter and Sadat on one hand and of Begin on the other.

Unlike those American parents that suffered the "generation gap" during the 1960s with its conflict between those over and under 30 years of age, Camp David showed that Begin is about to experience the full thrust of what might be called the "diplomacy gap."

In Begin's terms, and in those of analysts who share his assumptions and perceptions, Camp David was described as a clear-cut victory for the Israelis, a political gain for Carter and a clear loss for Sadat.

With the tried but tired tactic of emphasizing the relatively unimportant (the Sinai) in the beginning of the negotiations in order to distract from the main issues (the West Bank and the Palestinians) and then pretending to give a major concession in the end (the Sinai), Begin saw himself as having skillfully extracted a "separate peace" from Sadat.

In these "generation of the twenties" terms, with its Northern European emphasis on

niggling debate over carefully contrived definitions of issues, the wordy leader of Israel goes home certain he carried away the Camp David debating trophy.

Meanwhile, in reality and apparently without his noticing, Begin's word-bending world has been slowly disappearing. Neither his extensive readings of Herzl or Jabotinsky even his successful experience as the Zionist general of the Irgun could have given him the slightest realization that issues and, yes, even words have all but lost significance on the world stage.

Like the grossly inappropriate and, finally, self-defeating attack into Lebanon, Begin's old world knif-picking runs the risk of placing Israel into even greater isolation from the world community. And, in fact, this is what Sadat and Carter are banking on.

It is not enough that Begin finally figured the effective difference Carter's "open diplomacy" makes in negotiated definitions. Carter first taught Rabin and then Begin, that the act of redefinition on a global stage is far more important than the resulting definition, no matter how advantageous to a skillful negotiating party.

In fact, "open diplomacy" is, above all else, a way of creating definitional crisis so as to re-orient perceptions. The actual negotiation is not as important as the attention

the "crisis" forces on the entire event.

Begin has not yet realized what Sadat has known for some time. Sadat's visit to the Knesset was not as powerful because of the issue of recognizing Israel. Camp David was not important because Begin got a "separate peace" without giving up the West Bank. Both of these events were only important because they defined the heroes in such a way as to provide a future scenario allowing wider maneuverability.

Both the Knesset visit and the Camp David meeting are better understood as barely a moment in a continuous process rather than as a single event.

When Begin turned to Carter in front of the TV cameras and an estimated 69 million Americans and called the Camp David meeting, "Carter's summit," he clearly didn't realize that it was the beginning of the Carter presence in the Middle East, with a role for the Israeli prime minister as major villain thwarting the peace that a courageous and heroic set of presidents risked their careers to create.

This time, it's going to be difficult for Begin to get Carter's Middle East show off the air when he has unwittingly created the highest ratings in recent history. Ironically, the only way the show could be taken off the air would be for Begin to refuse to play the villain and return the West Bank and recognize the rights of the Palestinians.

## THE DARKER SIDE

While the deal over Sinai between Egypt and Israel will proceed smoothly and reach a successful conclusion in three months, the West Bank part of the Camp David agreements stands a minimal chance of surviving. This may have been deliberate. The Sinai agreement is made in clear terms that leave no room for interpolation. The framework for future settlement in the West Bank has caused controversy from the minute it was signed.

Israel's Menachem Begin said he only committed himself to a three-month ban on the building of new settlements. Egypt and the United States sharply contested the claim, saying that the ban should last the entire five-year transitional period. Begin later said that the Israeli army will not withdraw from the West Bank, Arab Jerusalem will not be returned, a Palestinian state will not rise next to Israel. And meanwhile, he said, existing settlements in the West Bank will be expanded.

While the Americans have "opposed" Begin's position, they have nevertheless tried to push King Hussein into negotiations with him over the future of the West Bank. The king, a life-long moderate, has found himself in the same camp as President Hafez Assad and Mr. Yasser Arafat. The Americans have now revealed that they have a written letter from President Sadat proposing to negotiate on behalf of the other Arabs over the future of the West Bank if King Hussein would not, Israel, for its part, said it would negotiate with whoever was ready to negotiate with it.

Apart from the West Bankers themselves, there are only two parties which can claim the right to represent the Palestinians: King Hussein and the PLO. They appear to have buried the hatchet after an eight-year dispute and as long as they can coordinate their positions, there is no way to deal with the future of the West Bank.

King Hussein would be ready to cooperate with the Americans if the terms of negotiations are changed. His cooperation with Syria and the PLO which also hope to win powerful backing from Saudi Arabia and the Gulf states, is not designed to thwart the peace efforts as much as to improve their chances of success. The Americans seem to think that the peace framework is a viable formula; the Arabs, apart from Egypt, think differently or are not so sure.

The most dangerous aspect of the whole episode is for the U.S. to believe that it can exert pressure on King Hussein or any other Arab leader to go along with the peace deal against his will. Even if the pressure does succeed, the ensuing peace will not last. The Americans will do well to remember the lesson of World War One when the West fought a "war to end all wars" but imposed on Germany such an impossible peace that it became the "peace to end all peace." It is hoped that the Carter administration will not attempt to push the kind of peace that will carry in itself the seeds of the next war.

King Hussein would not have hesitated to help the American efforts if he had been given half a chance.

## Natural gas lobbying

By David E. Rosenbaum  
WASHINGTON

In late August, no more than a handful of important businessmen could be counted on to support the natural gas pricing legislation now before the Senate, and the bill, which President Carter has termed "of overriding national importance," seemed to stand little chance of enactment.

By mid-September, more than 60 major industrial and financial corporations and 20 trade associations had announced their support for the bill, and dozens of other corporate leaders who once opposed it had decided to become neutral.

The turnaround was the result of the most intensive and effective White House lobbying on a piece of domestic legislation since Carter took office.

The lobbying effort was focused as much on swinging special interest groups around to the president's side as it was on persuading senators directly.

The administration's basic problem when it began its final push was that the bill that came out of conference committee was the product of so many compromises that it had a wealth of natural opponents and no strong supporters.

In late August, Energy Secretary James Schlesinger, Vice President Walter Mondale and Robert Strauss, the president's all-purpose adviser, devised a strategy of neutralizing the corporate opposition.

Their theory, which seems to have been justified, was that, if the opposition from special interest groups could be minimized, senators could be persuaded to vote for the measure on the grounds of national

prestige and loyalty to the president.

The cornerstone of the lobbying effort was a series of White House meetings with key industrial consumers of natural gas.

At a typical meeting, on the afternoon of Aug. 28, two dozen executives from major paper, textile and glass companies crowded into the Roosevelt Room to hear the hard sell for the bill.

Some of the executives were dead set against the measure. Others were ambivalent. Not one could be counted as a solid supporter.

First, according to the notes taken by one man who was there, Schlesinger, using multi-colored charts and new figures on gas production developed by his department, described the substance of the legislation.

Next, G. William Miller, chairman of the ostensibly independent Federal Reserve Board, argued that passage of the compromise bill — any bill, really — was essential to the stabilization of the value of the dollar against foreign currencies.

Finally, an hour or so into the meeting, Strauss, the Carter administration's super salesman took the floor.

It was a "time for candor," he told the businessmen, and he was not about to pretend that the bill was first-rate legislation. But, he went on, "it no longer makes a difference whether the bill is a C-minus or an A-plus. Certainly, it is better than a zero, and it must pass."

"This is close enough," Strauss asserted, "so a half-dozen

bankers I had in this morning and the people in this room could pass or defeat the bill."

There were similar meetings with, among others, representatives of the insurance, steel, automobile, construction and aerospace industries. A group of leading bankers had lunch with Carter in the family dining room. One hundred thirty of the most ardent industrial opponents of the measure were called to the East Room for special arm-twisting.

As a result, entire industries were split. Some important oil companies, such as Atlantic-Richfield, agreed to support the bill, and others, like Exxon, were persuaded to take a neutral stance. Some oil companies — Amoco, for instance — continued to oppose the bill.

The steel industry and the automobile manufacturers were also divided, and many important financial institutions, including the Manufacturers Hanover Trust Co. and the Bank of America, came out for the president. The farm lobby was also split, with the American Farm Bureau Federation, for instance, opposing the bill, and the National Grange supporting it.

An unusual coalition of interest groups remained in adamant opposition. The AFL-CIO, for example, was working hand-in-glove with the Chamber of Commerce of the United States in a last-ditch effort to defeat the bill.

But, one by one, senators were falling into line behind the president, and, in the Senate, at least, the divide-and-conquer tactics seemed to have worked. — (CQ)

## Nigeria comes full circle

By Farouk Lughman

When the British government decided to end its colonial rule in Nigeria, it left behind a legacy of democratic institutions which for a time made Africa's most populous country one of the more democratically ruled in the continent. There were political parties, free elections, a parliament, a cabinet responsible to the majority party and all the rest of the political paraphernalia that the British left behind them in the empire.

For a while Nigeria carried on the tradition of a politically free society, at least relatively speaking. Then the contagion of military coups reached the Nigerian armed forces. They struck in a bloody uprising in 1966 to bring down the freely elected government of Sir Abubakar Tafawa Balewa.

example for the rest of Africa to follow if it so wishes.

Why did it have to take 12 full years to return to square one in the first place? Were all those coups and counter-coups really necessary? Was it really necessary to kill so many people and detain, torture, exile and maim so many others only to realize 12 years later that, after all, a form of parliamentary democracy is the best political device for the people of Nigeria?

It is understandable that what has been done is hard to undo now. But will other African, Asian and Latin American rulers, the juntas, dictatorships and one-party affairs with rubber stamp legislatures learn the truth from the Nigerian ordeal and do likewise?

Having said this, it remains necessary to urge the newly emerging political parties of Nigeria to rise to the occasion, discard petty jealousies and avoid the traps of foreign agents and foreign subsidies so that they may give no cause to other ambitious army officers lurking behind the scenes ready to pounce on the seat of power once again. Let the Nigerian experience be the inspiration that other African regimes are looking for to break out of the vicious circle of coups and counter-coups that has done so much damage to their peoples.

On the face of it, this sounds like a brave decision by a military ruler to forfeit power in favor of the people. One hopes that he carries out his promise and sets a good

## saudi press review

"Al-Madina" editorial commented on the passage by the Israeli parliament of the Camp David accords and said even that is not going to change the facts of the present situation in the Middle East since the clouds of war are not going to be dispelled because the causes of war are ever present.

Foremost among the causes is the continued Israeli occupation which will remain together with the Camp David accords. Wise Arab leaders realize that the Israelis will not make real and meaningful concessions for the sake of peace.

The real test of Israeli intentions will lie in how far they will go in negotiating with the real representatives of the Palestinian people in or-

der to lay down the foundation for a real peace and stability in the region by removing all vestiges of injustice that has been done to the Palestinian people.

Arab efforts to achieve peace in the Middle East depend on the success of the United States in understanding and appreciating the kind of peace that the Arabs seek, and not the sort of peace that Israel wants, says "Okaz" in an editorial.

The Arab concept of peace involves the restoration of the occupied Arab lands and the restitution of the legitimate rights of the Palestinian people. The United States is aware of the dimensions of the Palestinian tragedy and knows that peace cannot be achieved

without justice which will return the occupied land to its rightful owners and will involve the right to self-determination. These ingredients are already well known to the United States which could do well by driving them home to the Israeli military establishment which hopes to extend the Israeli empire from the Nile to the Euphrates.

"Al-Riyadh" editorial discussed what it called the "political bankruptcy" of the Arab League which has led to the creation of different axes in the Arab world. There were attempts to reunite the Arabs under the auspices of the Arab League but the Camp David conference demolished all hopes of seeing the Arab states

reunited. "On the contrary President Sadat's visit to Jerusalem and his participation in the Camp David conference have wrecked any plans to revive Arab solidarity. In this atmosphere of rival factions, it would seem unlikely that an Arab summit conference can be held and assured of success in view of the activities of the rival factions that now seek to discredit each other. The results of these activities may be very serious indeed, perhaps the most serious in contemporary Arab history."

According to "Al-Bilad" the Arab world is about to enter a new state of anxiety, stress and disunity more severe than that of the last year. "This happens at a time of increasing Zionist unity inside and outside Israel. Added to this is the Israeli insistence on maintaining a large and effective presence in the West Bank and

Mr. Begin's demands for greater Arab concessions which may finally lead to a forfeiture of Arab rights."

In view of this situation, the government of Saudi Arabia charted out the next step that the Arabs should take when it stressed the importance of a united Arab stand.

"Hence true Arab strength is bound to emanate from unity of action and policy rather than in the number of rival Arab factions that have been created."

Discussing the meetings of the International Monetary Fund "Al-Bilad" columnist Hassan Anqawi said that the demands of the developing states are as follows:

— That the industrial western states should assist the less developed states by exporting technological know-how to enable these poorer states to industrialize and add new re-

sources to their national economies.

— Allocate additional and considerable amounts of aid to the developing states commensurate with those allotted by the OPEC states to the developing ones.

Anqawi said that the Carter Administration should tackle the problem of the dollar decline either by selling more gold, conserve energy or improve its trade balance.

"The OPEC countries have already given the United States a big scope to maneuver by freezing oil prices despite the adverse effects of the decline of the dollar," the writer said.

From this viewpoint, OPEC countries are looking forward to the IMF meetings to bring pressure to bear on the United States to carry out Mr. Carter's pledges in the interest of the American economic well-being.

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# U.S. trade deficit falls to \$1.62 billion

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (AP) — The U.S. trade deficit fell to \$1.62 billion in August, an encouraging sign for the American economic outlook, the U.S. government said Wednesday.

The August deficit followed a \$2.99 billion trade gap in July and was the second smallest of the year.

The reduced deficit was encouraging to economists who fear that trade problems are contributing to inflation in this country in reducing the value of the dollar overseas.

The improvement came at a good time for U.S. economic officials, who have been telling world monetary officials meeting in Washington of the prospects for improvement in U.S. trade.

On Tuesday, President Carter announced a new program to stimulate trade by promoting exports overseas.

The U.S. increased its exports in August by 5.7 per cent to a record \$2.47 billion, with the biggest gains in food and airplanes.

Imports dropped by 4.7 per cent to \$14.09 billion as Americans bought fewer foreign shoes, automobiles and other manufactured goods. Imported oil continued to be a big problem, however.

The Carter Administration says nearly all of the U.S. trade gap can be attributed to purchases of oil from Middle East countries.

Oil imports rose 209 million in August to \$3.35 billion after declining the previous month.

Despite the overall trade improvement in August, it appeared likely that the trade deficit for the year will surpass the \$26.5 billion record in 1977.

So far this year, the U.S. has purchased \$20.98 billion more than it has sold abroad. The trade deficit has been larger than the August figure in every month except June, when it was \$1.6 billion.

In his announcement Tuesday, Carter outlined what he said were the first steps to get U.S. businesses to start promoting their products abroad.

"Our export problem has been building for many years and we cannot expect dramatic improvement overnight," Carter said in a statement. "Increasing exports will take time, and require a sustained effort."

If the plan works, he said, the economy will grow, new jobs will be created, the dollar will become stronger and inflation will be curbed.

The program involves loans to exporters and easing of some of the environmental and legal restrictions exporters face.

The U.S. trade deficit this year is already ahead of the record year of 1978, but Treasury Secretary Michael Blumenthal held out hope Tuesday that it will improve.

In a speech to world monetary officials, Blumenthal pointed to progress in Congress over energy legislation and increasing ability of foreigners to buy U.S. products.

"I am confident that these efforts, combined with the slowing of the U.S. economy and more satisfactory growth worldwide, will substantially reduce our current account deficit by perhaps as much as 30 to 40 per cent from current levels," he said.

He said it will be critical for the U.S. to control inflation. The Labor Department said Tuesday that consumer prices rose 0.6 per cent in August, higher than the 0.5 per cent mark in July, but still well below the rates recorded earlier in the year.

Government economists were encouraged that food prices were stable. However, medical and housing costs continued to rise.

Here are some features of Carter's program to promote exports:

— The Justice Department will try to reassure wary business persons by educating them on its "enforcement priorities" under the new foreign anti-bribery law, and to emphasize that joint ventures abroad are unlikely to lead to antitrust prosecution.

— The small business administration will direct up to \$100 million a year in loan guarantees to exporters, while Carter will budget an extra \$20 million for federal export development programs.

— Carter asked Congress to work with the administration "to promptly resolve the tax problems of Americans employed abroad, many of whom are directly involved in export efforts."

— A proposed \$500 million boost next year in the Export-Import Bank's loan authority, to an annual total of \$4.1 billion.

— In weighing applications for export licenses involving sales to Communist and other countries, the government will consider export consequences and whether the same goods can be readily purchased elsewhere.

— The need for environmental impact statements concerning export goods will be reduced until they involve less than five per cent of all shipments abroad.

## Saudi, Egyptian backing IMF elects Libyan for executive body

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27 (AP) — Fifteen directors have been voted to seats on the International Monetary Fund's prestigious executive committee in the world economic body's regular biannual election.

Among those elected was Muhammad Finaish of Libya for the seat representing 11 Middle East and neighboring countries. He was opposed by incumbent Muhammad al-Atrash of Syria in a contest that attracted attention because of Saudi Arabian and Egyptian backing of the Libyan.

Others elected were: Jahangir Amuzegar of Iran, Jacques de Grunze of Belgium, S.D. Deshmukh of India, Lamberto Dini of Italy, Bernard J. Drabble of Canada, Francisco Garces of Chile, Alexandre Kafka of Brazil, Byanti Kharmanan of Indonesia, Festus G. Mogae of Botswana, Joaquin Muns of Spain, Samuel Nansinkam of Cameroon, H.O. Ruding of Netherlands, Matti

Vanhala of Finland and Robert J. Whitelaw of Australia. Six countries by right of being major contributors to the IMF name their own directors. They are United States, West Germany, Japan, Britain, France and Saudi Arabia.

Saudi Arabia's elevation to that group this year led to the Syrian-Libyan contest for its vacant elective place on the board.

Arab sources at the joint meeting here of the World Bank and IMF said that Saudi Arabia and Egypt had quietly used their influence on behalf of the Libyan.

Saudi Arabia's newly-named director is Mahsun Jalal, who has been head of the Special Fund of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC).

Sources said the backing offered to the Libyan had little or nothing to do with the normal course of Arab politics.

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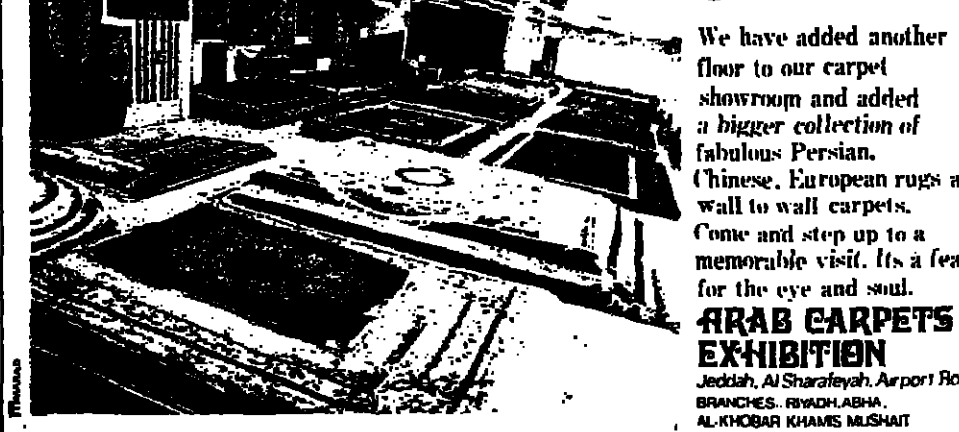
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Authority	Description	No. of Tender	Price SR	Closing Date
* Municipality of Tabuk	Securing of fuel and servicing of vehicles and equipment	30	xx	Oct. 10
* Directorate General of Meteorology	Machinery and equipment	1	250	Oct. 14
* Municipality of Tabuk	Equipment for mortuary	xx	Free	Oct. 14
* " " "	Garden equipment	xx	50	Oct. 15
* Department of Education, Al-Jauf	Supply of uniform and scouts equipment for area's schools	xx	100	Oct. 24
* " " "	Supply of uniform and sports equipment for area's schools	xx	100	Oct. 24
* Municipality of Mecca	Securing of furniture	9	200	Oct. 22
* " " "	Securing of stationery and engineering equipment	10	150	Oct. 22
* " " "	Numbering of Mecca roads	8	1500	Oct. 25
* Department of Education, Hail	Furniture and uniform for Youth Welfare Department	1-98-99	Free	Oct. 30
* Municipality of Mecca	Securing of seeds, flowers and creeping plants	6	50	Oct. 23
* " " "	Agricultural equipment for gardens	7	70	Oct. 23
* Municipality of Bureidah	Fencing of graveyards	xx	200	Oct. 21
* Department of Education, Medina	Stationery	xx	xx	Oct. 24



## SAUDI PORTS AUTHORITY VESSELS MOVEMENTS AT JEDDAH SEAPORT UPTO THE MORNING OF 27th. SEP. 1978

Berth	Vessel	Agent	Cargo	Arr. Date
1A	HAMID	FAYEZ MEDCO	WATER MELONS	23/9/1978
1	TARONGA	—	CONTAINERS	27/9/1978
2	—	—	—	—
3	ROBERT-E-LEE	A.E.T.	TEA/GENERAL	21/9/1978
3	BARGES	—	—	—
4	AZUMA	BARBER	GEN./CONTAINERS	26/9/1978
4	PING CHAU	ALATAS	GENERAL	24/9/1978
5	—	—	—	—
6	BRAUNFELS	ALIREZA	GENERAL	26/9/1978
7	ALASKA	O.C.E.	REEFER	18/9/1978
7	CEDAR STAR	O.C.E.	FROZ. CHICKEN	22/9/1978
8	GREEN VALLEY	KANOO	RICE/FLOUR/GENERAL	19/9/1978
9	BARGES	—	—	—
9	ACROPOLIS	ALGEZIRAH	PREFAB. HOUSES/ BUILDING MATERIAL	26/9/1978
10	—	—	—	—
11	ESTRELLA	STAR NAV.	FRUITS	7/9/1978
12	—	—	—	—
13	EVER RELIANCE	S.A.M.A.	TIMBER	22/9/1978
14	HOUDA PEARL	ALWANI	BAGGED CEMENT	22/9/1978
15	KOTA MEWAH	O.C.E.	GENERAL	26/9/1978
16	—	—	—	—
17	—	—	—	—
18	ODYSSEUS	ROLACO	BULK CEMENT	23/9/1978
19	LOUIS L.D.	ALSABAH	BULK CEMENT	26/9/1978
20	KANARIS	A.A.	BAGGED CEMENT	16/9/1978
21	—	—	—	—
22	—	—	—	—
22/23	FILIPINAS SAUDI	ORRI	HOTEL SHIP	22/8/1978
23	BARGES EX	KANOO	GENERAL	16/9/1978
24	ACADIA FOREST	—	—	—
39	SAMIR 1	ALWANI	FROZEN CHICKENS	24/9/1978
40	HELLENIC	ALPHA	OIL/GENERAL/FLOUR/ REEFER/CONTAINERS	25/9/1978
41	CHALLENGER	—	—	—
41	BLUE OCEAN	BAABOUD	LOADING CARS	22/9/1978
42	AL SADIQ	S.E. ASIA	BAGGED CEMENT	16/9/1978
43	—	—	—	—
44	PEKARI	M.E.S.A.	BANANAS	19/9/1978

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Vessels arrived during past 24 hours.	Agent	Cargo	Arr. Date
BRAUNFELS	ALIREZA	GENERAL	26/9/1978
KALSOE	O.C.E.	FROZEN FOODSTUFFS	27/9/1978
TAGAMA	ALIREZA	LOADING MTY CONTAINERS	26/9/1978
KOTA MEWAH	O.C.E.	GENERAL	26/9/1978

Vessels expected during next 24 hours.	Agent	Cargo	Exp. Date
TARONGA	MEDCO	CONTAINERS	26/9/1978
IONIAN CARRIER	ROLACO	BULK CEMENT	26/9/1978
SENNAR	A.E.T.	GENERAL/CARS	27/9/1978
LYCAON	ALATAS	GEN./CONTAINERS	27/9/1978
TAI PING	BARBER	CONTAINERS	27/9/1978
AL KADISIAH	KANOO	CONTAINERS	27/9/1978
JOLLY BLANCO	ABDALLAH	RO RO	27/9/1978
KELKHEM	ALSABAH	GEN./CONTAINERS	28/9/1978
CEDAR BANK	ALATAS	CONTAINERS	28/9/1978
TORINITA	A.E.T.	VEHICLES	28/9/1978

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Vessels Working	Name of the Ship	Agent	Types of cargo	Arrival Date
Berth No.				

1	OLYMPIC PROGRESS	S.E.A.	GENERAL/TIMBER	26/9/1978
7	HOEGH ELITE	KANOO	PLYWOOD	26/9/1978
8	THOMAS MAERSK	KANOO	GENERAL	25/9/1978
10	KOTA PURI	KANOO	GEN./CONTAINERS	25/9/1978
11	CAPE GRAFTON	KANOO	LOADING UREA	13/9/1978
13	DUNELMIA	KANOO	PIPES LINE AGGREGATE	21/9/1978
16	TEKOA	KANOO	IN BULK	24/9/1978
17	CHEUNG CHAU	U.E.P.	GENERAL/REEFER	24/9/1978
18	WORLD EMBLEM	S.M.C.	GENERAL/GRAIN	24/9/1978
19	SOVETSKIYE PROSOYUZY	KANOO	C. CEMENT	8/9/1978
20	PLITVICE	GOSABI	C. CEMENT	18/9/1978
21	BAJKA (D.B.)	BARBER	BULK CEMENT	14/9/1978
22	SEA LAND PIONEER	REZAYAT	CONTAINERS	26/9/1978
S.C. PIER.	BIRKA	KANOO	LOADING EQUIPMENT	24/9/1978

Vessel Working at Anch.	Agent	Cargo	Arr. Date
PRIMULA	S.M.C.	BULK CEMENT	18/9/1978
OCEAN FRIEND	SAITE	C. CEMENT	18/9/1978
ASIA HOPE	KANOO	C. CEMENT	20/9/1978
MAIDIVE COURAGE	ORRI	GENERAL	24/9/1978

Recent Arrivals:	Agent	Cargo	Arr. Date
BARGE KALBA	KANOO	TO LOAD DREDGING MATERIAL	26/9/1978
ALSABAHIAH	KANOO	GENERAL	26/9/1978
SEA LAND PIONEER	REZAYAT	CONTAINERS	26/9/1978
LINDINGER SILVER	SAITE	GENERAL	26/9/1978

Vessels expected within 24 Hours.	Agent	Cargo	Exp. Date
LUCILEE	GULF	GENERAL	26/9/1978
OCEAN ADVANCE	ALSAADA	GENERAL	26/9/1978
BORIS LAVRENOV	KANOO	GENERAL	26/9/1978
ARYA KISH	A.E.T.	GENERAL	26/9/1978
AMSTEL DEEP	KANOO	GENERAL	26/9/1978
SHIRRA BANK	O.C.E.	GENERAL	26/9/1978

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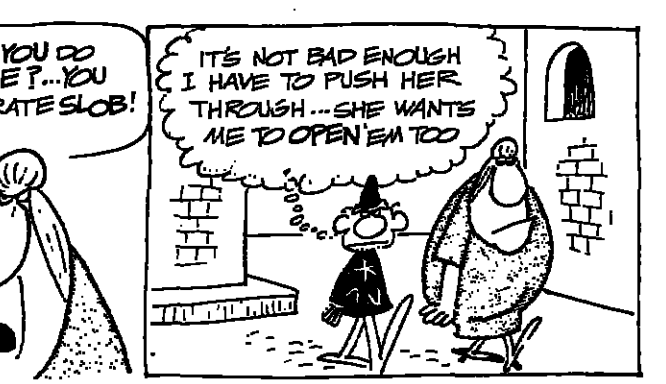
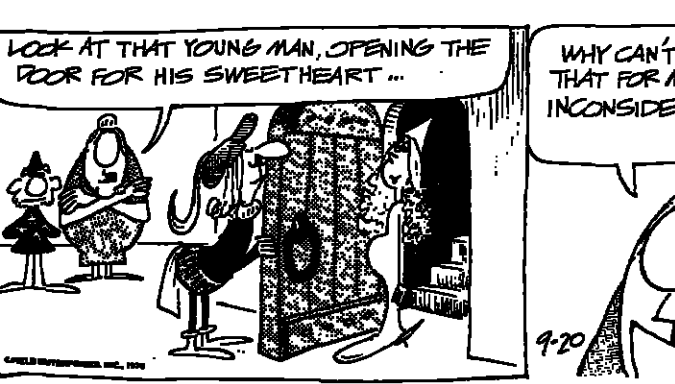
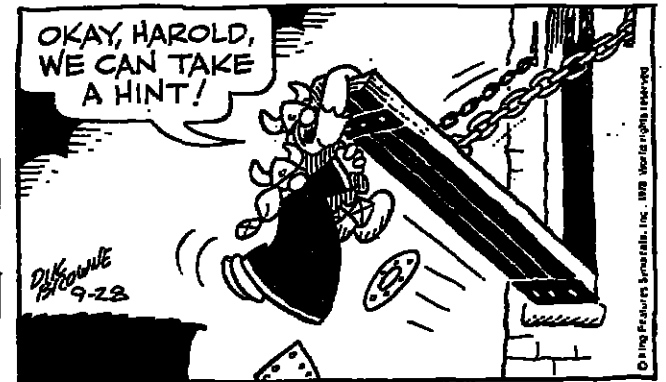
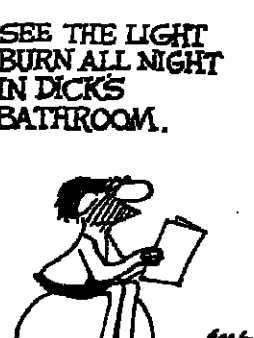
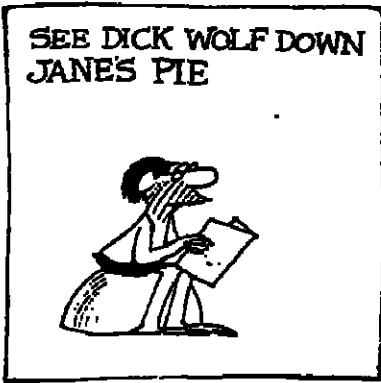
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**A Novel Approach to the Play**

West dealer. Neither side vulnerable.

**NORTH**  
 ♠ A 6 4  
 ♥ Q J 10  
 ♦ A K 9 8 6  
 ♣ 8 5

**EAST**  
 ♠ 9 8 2  
 ♥ 7 6 5 3  
 ♦ Q 3 2  
 ♣ 10 9 7 6 5

**SOUTH**  
 ♠ J 3  
 ♥ A K 9 5 2  
 ♦ K 3 2

The bidding:  
 West North East South  
 1 ♠ 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♠  
 Pass 3 ♥ Pass 4 ♠

Opening lead — king of spades.

The principle of avoidance affects the play of many hands. Declarer frequently finds it more dangerous to have one defender on lead than the other, and he therefore tries to shape his play so as to prevent the dangerous opponent from taking the lead.

For an unusual application of the principle, consider this deal where South is in four hearts. He sees that he must lose a spade and a diamond, come what may, and that he is in serious danger of losing two

club tricks, as West is marked by the bidding with the ace. One way of trying to escape the two club losers is by leading the A-K and another diamond. If the suit is divided 3-2, dummy's two remaining diamonds become tricks on which it may be possible to discard two clubs. The fly in the ointment is that East may win the third diamond lead and return a club to defeat the contract.

So declarer plans his play from the start to try to avoid East, the dangerous opponent. In line with this he ducks the king of spades. Let's assume West shifts to a diamond, which is the best he can do. Declarer wins in dummy with the king and pursues his plan of avoidance by playing a low spade to the ace. West wins and leads another diamond.

Dummy wins with the ace and cashes the Q-J of hearts and ace of spades declarer shedding his last diamond. Now South ruffs a diamond high, leads a trump to dummy's ten, and discards two clubs on the 9-8 of diamonds.

West eventually gets a club trick, but South wins up making the contract after a somewhat exciting voyage. In effect, South arranges to lose two spades and no diamonds, instead of one spade and one diamond.

# CROSSWORD PUZZLE

**Crossword**  
 by THOMAS JOSEPH

**ACROSS**  
 1 Admonish  
 5 American painter  
 10 Olive genus  
 11 Of the sea  
 12 Chinese dynasty  
 13 Texas city  
 14 Seasoned fighter pilot  
 15 Dugma's uncle  
 16 The "S" in R.S.V.P.  
 17 Infant  
 19 Asian river  
 20 "You — There"  
 21 e e cum mings, e.g.  
 22 Fend off  
 25 Like the beach  
 26 Resting  
 27 Managed  
 28 Outfit  
 29 Clue  
 30 Wing  
 31 Sky altar  
 32 Mesta and namesakes  
 33 "South Pacific" character  
 34 Salad plant  
 39 Italian family  
 41 Irritable

**DOWN**  
 1 "I Am —"  
 2 Mrs. Kramden  
 3 Start afresh  
 4 Pony past  
 5 prime  
 6 Woré  
 7 Delegation  
 8 Stated, as fodder  
 9 Daydreamer's enemy  
 10 Breastwork  
 11 Watered  
 12 Texas city  
 13 Letter  
 14 sign-off  
 15 Unpopular  
 17 1776 colonial  
 18 Poet  
 19 Glazer's item  
 20 Breastwork  
 21 Texas city  
 22 Angry  
 23 Letting  
 24 sign-off  
 25 Overfill  
 26 Allow

**Yesterday's Answer**  
 18 Poet  
 19 Glazer's item  
 20 Breastwork  
 21 Texas city  
 22 Angry  
 23 Letting  
 24 sign-off  
 25 Overfill  
 26 Allow

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 A X Y D L B A A X X  
 L O N G F E L L O W

One letter simply stands for another. In this sample A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

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 L R K E T M A W M B T M S H K E M A  
 V W S K E T S " T " W Z W S . —

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# ARAB NEWS CALENDAR

**PRAYER TIMES**

THURSDAY

	Fajr	Ishraq	Dhuhr	Asr	Maghreb	Isha
Mecca	4:59	6:16	12:19	3:42	6:16	7:46
Medina	4:59	6:13	12:20	3:45	6:17	7:47
Nejd	4:28	5:48	11:49	3:13	5:45	7:15

**DHAHRAN TV**

5:30 Childrens Show	Mr. Rogers No. 1224, Zoom No. 432
5:00 Man from Atlantis	IMP
5:49 Jokers Wild	No. 493
6:08 Welcome BK. Kotter	No. 208 Checken Ala Kotter
6:33 Hairy-O	Mysterious Case
7:24 Health, Education	Do it for them Mother
7:25 Baratta	Playin police
8:25 Second run Theater	Luv

**WEATHER**

Forecast for the next 24 hours:  
 The eastern, northeastern and central regions will be affected by active northerly winds, raising dust and sands during the day. The rest of the Kingdom will have a generally moderate weather with humid conditions over the coastal areas and clouds over the western and southwestern highlands.

Sea conditions will be rough in the Gulf and moderate in the Red Sea.

Wednesday's temperatures (maximum, minimum in centigrade)

Mecca	39	28	Taif	32	20
Jeddah	36	26	Tabuk	37	18
Riyadh	38	23	Arar	35	16
Dhahran	37	25	Yanbu	35	25
Medina	39	24	K. Mesheir	28	09

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**Afternoon Transmission**  
 1:00 Opening  
 1:01 The Holy Quran  
 1:05 Gems of Guidance  
 1:10 S.A. — A Daily Chronicle  
 1:15 S.A. — Historical Notes  
 1:30 On the Record  
 2:00 Your Choice  
 2:30 On Islam  
 2:40 Islam The Divine Truth  
 2:50 Reflections on Fasting  
 2:55 Music  
 3:00 NEWS  
 3:10 Press Review

**Evening Transmission**  
 10:00 Opening  
 10:01 The Holy Quran  
 10:05 Reflections on Fasting  
 10:10 Light Music  
 10:15 NEWS  
 10:25 S.A. — A Daily Chronicle  
 10:30 Music Worldwide  
 11:00 Champions of Solidarity  
 11:10 Press Review  
 11:15 The Sixties  
 11:45 The World of Guitar  
 12:00 Islamic Contributions  
 12:15 The Songwriters  
 12:45 A Rendezvous with Dreams  
 12:59 Close Down

# VOA

**P.M.**  
 8:00 News Roundup:  
 Reports: Actualities:  
 Opinion: Analyses  
 8:30 Dateline  
 News Summary  
 9:00 Special English:  
 News: Feature, The Making of a Nation  
 News Summary  
 9:30 Music USA:  
 (Standards)  
 10:00 News Roundup:  
 Reports: Actualities  
 15 Opinion: Analyses

**News Summary**  
 10:30 VOA Magazine:  
 America: Science:  
 Cultural: Letter  
 11:00 Special English: News  
 11:30 Music USA:  
 (Jazz)

**VOA WORLD REPORT**  
 Midnight  
 12:00 News... newsmakers' voices... correspondents reports... background features... media comments... news analyses.

# BBC

**Morning Transmission**  
 6:00 World News  
 6:09 News about Britain  
 6:15 World Today  
 6:30 "7th, 14th Tolstoy:  
 21st, Festival Fringe:  
 28th, Typhoid Mary  
 7:00 Newswest  
 7:30 Brass of Britain  
 7:45 Financial News  
 7:55 Reflections  
 8:00 World News  
 8:09 "Twenty-Four Hours:  
 News Summary  
 8:30 "Sarah Ward  
 8:45 World Today  
 9:00 Newswest  
 9:30 "Themes from Childhood  
 10:00 World News  
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 11:00 World News  
 11:09 Reflections  
 11:15 Encore  
 11:30 The Farming World  
 12:00 World News  
 12:09 British Press Review  
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 12:30 Financial News  
 12:40 Look Ahead  
 12:45 Wales and the Welsh  
 Afternoon Transmission  
 1:00 From the Music Festivals  
 1:30 Frank Muir goes into...  
 2:00 World News  
 2:09 News about Britain  
 2:15 People and Folk  
 2:30 Business Matters  
 3:00 Radio Newswest

**3:15 Top Twenty**  
 3:45 Sports Round-up  
 4:00 World News  
 4:09 Twenty-Four Hours:  
 News Summary  
 4:30 New Ideas  
 4:40 Clayton's Concise English Dictionary  
 4:45 Man Reasons Why  
 5:30 Sound  
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**Your Individual Horoscope**

Frances Drake

FOR THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1978

What kind of day will tomorrow be? To find out what the stars say, read the forecast given for your birth sign.

**Signs**  
 (Sept. 24 to Oct. 23) ♈  
 (Oct. 24 to Nov. 22) ♉  
 (Nov. 23 to Dec. 21) ♊  
 (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) ♋  
 (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) ♌  
 (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) ♍  
 (Mar. 21 to Apr. 20) ♎  
 (Apr. 21 to May 21) ♏  
 (May 22 to June 21) ♐  
 (June 22 to July 23) ♑  
 (July 24 to Aug. 23) ♒  
 (Aug. 24 to Sept. 23) ♓

**ARIES**  
 (Mar. 21 to Apr. 20) ♈  
 Good stellar influences, but a few "tricky" spots bear watching. Keep alert and you can eradicate them and go on to bigger and better things.

**Taurus**  
 (Apr. 21 to May 21) ♉  
 Fine cooperation from others is indicated. There's the possibility of an interesting proposition. Once you have checked out its potential, act accordingly.

**GEMINI**  
 (May 22 to June 21) ♊  
 Don't stray off the beaten path. You'll find more opportunities and greater satisfaction in activities closer to home ground.

**CANCER**  
 (June 22 to July 23) ♋  
 You may have to revise some plans. Others may lend a helping hand but, in general, you have to draft your own alterations. Be prepared for the unexpected.

**LEO**  
 (July 24 to Aug. 23) ♌  
 Everything points to a bit of luck coming your way. Take a chance — especially in an activity which stimulates your very active imagination.

**VIRGO**  
 (Aug. 24 to Sept. 23) ♍  
 Your stars look good. A creative idea could prove more remunerative than you suppose. Gains are indicated if you play your cards right.

**LIBRA**  
 (Sept. 24 to Oct. 23) ♎  
 Certain persons may make irresponsible statements. Don't be trapped or follow any suggestion without investigating for the truth.

**SCORPIO**  
 (Oct. 24 to Nov. 22) ♏  
 There's an unusual development in the making that will affect you pleasantly. Romance, travel and cultural pursuits are especially favored now.

**SAGITTARIUS**  
 (Nov. 23 to Dec. 21) ♐  
 Operations are going well and will go better. Set a better pace for speedier results. Stress your ability to organize.

**CAPRICORN**  
 (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) ♑  
 Your day should be trouble-free. Direct your efforts to take care of all essentials. Pet projects will go over with a bang.

**AQUARIUS**  
 (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) ♒  
 Things look good but you may have to work a little harder for benefits. Two warnings: Avoid the blarney and DO be careful when dealing with strangers.

**PISCES**  
 (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) ♓  
 If you're not on guard, confusions could reign. Do not let slight misunderstandings blow out of control. Use your wits.

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ASHE: Back on form after ankle trouble.



BORG: At Wimbledon, he looked unshakable.

## In Davis Cup

## Ashe, Smith picked to challenge Borg

NEW YORK, Sept. 27 (AP) — Jimmy Connors decided not to play, so the United States called on veterans Arthur Ashe and Stan Smith to lead the American challenge against Sweden in the semifinals of the Davis Cup tennis competition.

In addition to Ashe, 35 and Smith, 31, third-ranked Vitas Gerulaitis and fifth-ranked Dick Stockton were named Tuesday to face Wimbledon title holder Bjorn Borg and his Swedish teammates indoors at Goteborg, Sweden Oct. 6-8.

Team captain Tony Trabert, hopes that experience and a strong doubles team can help return the 78-year-old international trophy to the United States. The Americans last won in 1972.

The winner of the best-of-five match series in Goteborg will play the survivor of the match between Britain and Australia for the cup. The Britain-Australia match also is scheduled Oct. 6-8, in England.

Australia is the cup holder. If it defeats Britain, it will host the final match at Melbourne's Kooyong Club the first week in December.

An American-Australian duel would revive many fond memories. These two nations have dominated the international competition, clashing 37 times, 28 with the cup at stake. The Americans hold a 19-18 edge.

Trabert said that he and Joseph Carroco of Chicago, chairman of the U.S. Davis Cup Committee, had handed Connors a letter during the U.S. Open championships three weeks ago in New York inviting him to become a member of the U.S. team.

"We never got a reply," Trabert said. He and Carroco apparently decided against any

further attempts at persuasion. Although Borg is a three-time Wimbledon champion, winner of 26 straight Davis Cup matches and rated by many as the best player in the world — an appraisal disputed by Connors supporters — an American victory is not unlikely.

Ashe, winner of both the Wimbledon and Davis titles, has recovered from a nagging heel injury and is approaching top form. He crushed Brian Gottfried, the No. 2 ranked

U.S. player, Monday in Los Angeles.

Gerulaitis, who has played close matches with Borg, can be expected to share the singles with Ashe. Smith and Stockton, both powerful servers and volleyers, are teamed for the doubles assignment.

Even if Borg wins both his singles, the Americans hope to take the No. 2 singles and the doubles.

Playing the other singles spot for Sweden will be Ove Bengt-

son, a 6-foot-6 big game player who helped the Swedes beat the Czechs in 1977 but generally is not considered in a class with Ashe and Gerulaitis. He will also join Borg in doubles.

Connors' refusal to play Davis Cup tennis is no surprise. The three-time national champion feuded with Davis Cup officials and refused to play in earlier years. He retired in 1976 to play against Mexico but lost the decisive match to Raul Ramirez.

## Cosmos impress London with 1-1 Chelsea draw

LONDON, Sept. 27 (AP) — English soccer followers reluctantly acknowledge the New York Cosmos as a football force.

The North American champion, drew Tuesday night, 1-1, with first division Chelsea, and was rewarded with unstinting praise.

Ken Shellito, the Chelsea manager, admitted: "Cosmos were a class above us. It was an education to play against players of that caliber."

The match, the only one which Cosmos is playing in Britain on its current tour of Europe and Saudi Arabia, followed three defeats in West Germany.

The two English players Cosmos paraded, Steve Hunt and Dennis Tueart, combined to score their goal in the

32nd minute. Hunt crossed from the left and Tueart side-footed the ball in at the far post.

In the final minute England international Ray Wilkins equalized for Chelsea with a drive from the edge of the penalty area.

Dutch star Johan Cruyff, guesting for Cosmos, once raced the whole length of the field but veteran goalkeeper Peter Bonetti blocked his final shot.

Chelsea's biggest crowd of the season, 40,000 watched the match and was enchanted by the Cosmos, and Cruyff in particular.

Shellito said: "Cruyff was magnificent. I couldn't take my eyes off him. If my players did not learn something from the game they are daft."

## Phillies split twinbill

## Boston breathes down New York's neck

NEW YORK, Sept. 27 (AP)

—New York and Boston both won to keep them one game apart in the American League East. Philadelphia split a doubleheader and Pittsburgh won to move within 3½ games in the National League East and Kansas City won its third straight AL West title Tuesday night.

Orioles 3, Indians 1  
In the most exciting personal achievement of the night, Baltimore's Mike Flanagan pitched 8-2/3 innings of no-hit ball

nightcap.

Pirates 5, Cubs 5  
Willie Stargell belted a three-run homer and Don Robinson fired a six-hitter to give Pittsburgh a 5-2 victory over Chicago for the Pirates' 21st straight victory at home. Stargell's homer, his 26th of the season, was no. 427 of his career, moving him into 15th place on the all-time major league list. The game drew just 6,515 paying customers.

The Phillies and Pirates before surrendering Gary Alexander's opposite field home run as the Orioles beat Cleveland, 3-1.

Yankees 4, Blue Jays 1

Ed Figueroa, 19-9, won his seventh straight decision and Bucky Dent and Nicky Rivers, raped run-scoring doubles, leading the Yankees to a 4-1 victory over Toronto and keeping them one game ahead of Boston. Both teams have five games to play.

Red Sox 6, Tigers 0

Dennis Eckersley scattered seven hits for his 19th victory and Jim Rice belted his 44th homer in Boston's 6-0 triumph over Detroit.

Phillies 5-0, Expos 3-3

The Phillies reduced their magic number for clinching the NL East to three, beating Montreal, 5-3, in the first game of a doubleheader. Greg Luzinski hit a two-run homer and singled across another run. But Rudy May stopped the Phillies of a four-hitter, 3-0, in the

meet in Pittsburgh this weekend for the final four games of the regular season.

Royals 4, Mariners 1

Larry Gura, 16-4, hurled a three-hitter and Amos Otis drove in a pair of runs as Kansas City beat Seattle, 4-1, to become the first expansion team to win three division titles.

Alexander, a .222 hitter entering the game, lined a 2-1 pitch for his 26th homer of the year. Two more singles chased Flanagan, 19-14, and

reliever Don Stanhouse came in to strike out Wayne Cage for his 23rd save.

Elsewhere, Houston blanked Atlanta, 2-0, the New York Mets beat St. Louis, 3-1, Cincinnati downed Los Angeles, 6-4, Oakland topped the Chicago White Sox, 10-3, and Minnesota defeated Texas, 6-2.

Houston's Joe Niekro gave up six hits in eight innings and gained a 3-2 edge in career decisions over his brother, Phil, who missed his chance to win his 20th game.

## Scotland manager quits under World Cup cloud

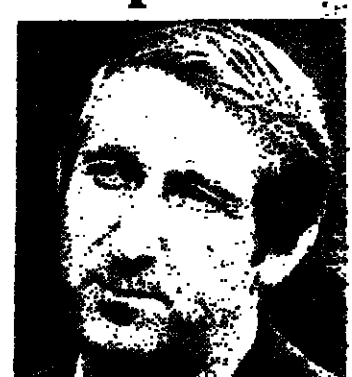
AYR, Scotland, Sept. 27 (R)

—Ally Macleod resigned Tuesday night as manager of Scotland's football team, a job he came close to losing after the dismal Scots performance at the World Cup finals in Argentina in June.

Macleod is to take over as manager of Scottish League side Ayr United.

Macleod managed the Scottish national team for 16 months. For the first 12 months he was highly successful. But in the Argentina finals, Scotland failed to survive the preliminary matches after losing to Peru and drawing with Iran. There was a general outcry for him to be replaced.

After an inquest into the team's failure in Argentina by the Scottish Football Association, Macleod kept his job and was in charge of the team that lost 3-2 to Austria in a Euro-



MACLEOD: Ayr on a B-team?

pean Championship match in Vienna last Wednesday. Macleod's decision to join Ayr, a club he has managed before, means Scotland must now find another manager to continue its European Championship campaign.

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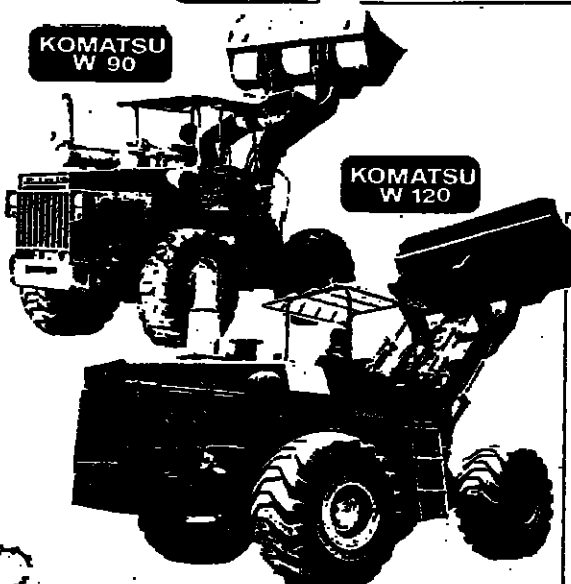
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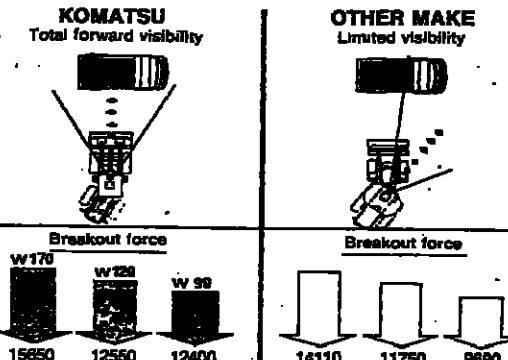
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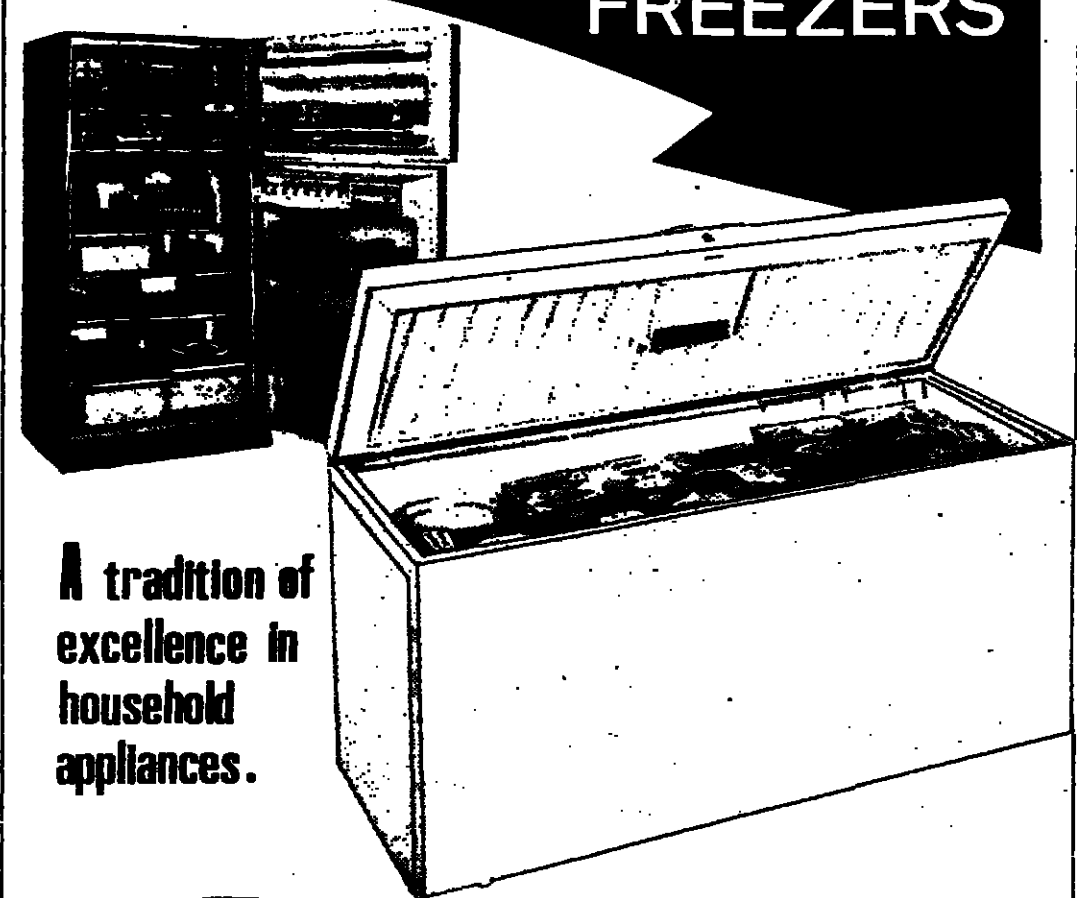


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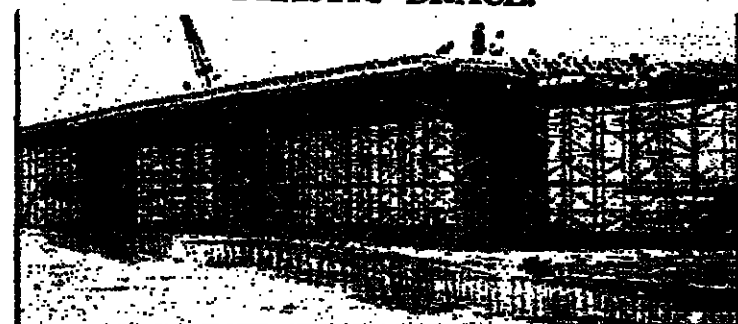
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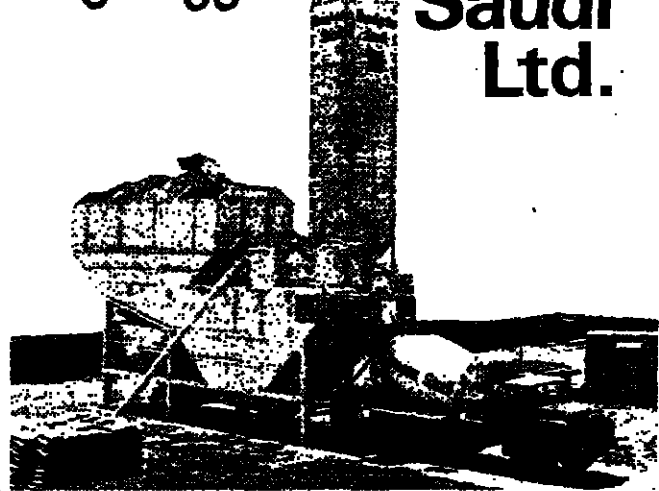
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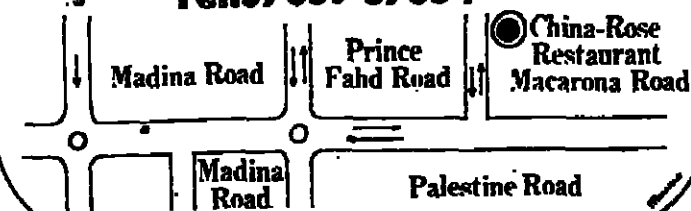
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Supply bargains total	—	17,274	17,398	16,833	17,879	16,995

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\* Based on 52 per cent corporation tax. \* Nil = 5.63.  
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Australia	60.48-69.50	STG	1.9825-1.9832
Belgium	1629.75-1636.75	BFB CON	38.425-38.525
Denmark	4.1005-4.1015	CAN	84.85-84.90
Switzerland	2.8958-2.9450	FFR	4.9625-4.9645
W. Germany	1.8592-1.8620	LIT	820.25-821.25
Italy	3.6992-3.7020	ESP	2.1035-2.1045
Norway	16.1785-16.1880	SFR	1.4875-1.4880
Sweden	10.6135-10.6210	MDN	1.9245-1.9255
Austria	25.80-26.10	YEN	166.80-167.20
Portugal	89.40-89.80	AUS. SCH	14.62-14.63
Spain	143.75-145.40	IND	1.945-1.946
Japan	372.43-372.53	NLS	5.1365-5.1375
		SEK	42.46-43.46
		SRK	4.5865-4.5875
		BFB FIN	31.41-31.82
		STG	72.55-72.60
		MXN	20.00-20.05
		STG, one month 69-63	two months 119-117
		one month 179-164	three months 119-114
		three months 179-164	six months 314-311
		309 days, twelve months 514-515	dis.
		CAN, one month 1-3	two months 1-3
		three months 1-3	three months 1-3
		four months 1-3	four months 1-3
		five months 1-3	five months 1-3
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		twelve months 1-3	twelve months 1-3

DOLLAR RATES	
Goldsterling	2.1668
Bullionsterling	38.520
Deutschmark	1.9380
Swiss Franc	4.7226
French Franc	6.563
Italian Lira	262.63
Spanish Lira	161.979
Japanese Yen	149.48

REST RATES						
Dutch Guilder	Swiss Franc	W. German Mark	French Franc	Italian Lira	Aster Dollar	Japanese Yen
4 1/2-5 1/2	7 1/2-9 1/2	3 1/2-3 3/4	7-7 1/4	19-28		2 1/2(1/2-1/3)
1 1/2-2 1/2	10-14	5 1/2-5 3/4	7 1/2-7 3/4	17-19 1/2	9 1/2-9 3/4	1 1/2-3 1/4
5 1/2-6 1/2	12 1/2-16	6 1/2-6 3/4	7 1/2-7 3/4	14-15 1/2	9 1/2-9 3/4	1 1/2-3 1/4
6 1/2-7 1/2	14-18	7 1/2-7 3/4	7 1/2-7 3/4	14-15	9 1/2-9 3/4	2 1/2-3 1/4
6 1/2-7 1/2	12 1/2-16	7 1/2-7 3/4	9 1/2-9 3/4	14-15 1/2	9 1/2-9 3/4	3 1/2-3 3/4
6 1/2-7 1/2	11 1/2-16	3 1/2(1/2-1/3)	13 1/2-16 1/2	14-15 1/2	9 1/2-9 3/4	3 1/2(1/2-1/3)

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